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"Physical Force" Party Thought to Be

WORKMEN REPAIRING THE BUILDING TOUCH OFF THE MINE.

caused by dynamite, and the Fenian party,

good order. A number of workmen were em-

osion, which shattered a number of win-

dows and did considerable other damage.

Mr. Coulinan, Chief of the Financial De-

injured. The workmen who had been repairing adjacent rooms were absent at dinner at tife time. The officials declared that dyna-

to indicate that it was a gas explosion. The public are excluded from the precincts and experts are examining the wrecked apartments, while detectives are busy seeking clews. The Irish Privy Council had intended

to hold a session in the room directly over the

ST. LOUIS, THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 31, 1891.

A Million Americans Would Respond

THE PROPLE BELIEVE THAT CHILI and ton

among the soldiers of the North and Sou

embarrassment would be whom to select."
Two of the best-known naval officers on the retired list have filed their application for service in the event of war with Chill. One of these is Admiral Thomas H. Stevens. The

ear ago with the rank of Admiral. Admira

nett is 64 years of age, while Stevens is se

lecades ago, when they were known as two

The position occupied by Senor Pedro Montt, the Chiffan Minister, is embarrassing. The feeling in Chill is very bitter against the United States, and he has doubtless felt here-

United States, and he has doubtless felt heretofore that any suggestion of arbitration, or
in fact any other pacific course inspired by
him, might be misinterpreted at home and
be used to his detriment. He is now satisned, however, that it must be either arbitration or war. He is no longer blind to the
fact that both the Naval and War Departments of the Government are making the
amplest preparation for hostilities,
and he feels that he would be recreant to his trust did he not fully
acquaint his Government with these facts,
and it is stated that he has suggested the
idea of arbitration to his Government. The

NIHILIST PLOTTERS.

bassy at Paris.

Faxis, Dec. Si.—Since the establishment of the verbal entente between France and Ensist the French authorities have been particularly vigilant in ferreting out the plots of Nibilists directed against the Czar. Two or three of such conspiracies have been discovered, one of which was quite extensive. All those who were convicted of participation in these plots were severely dealt with, and for some little time past nothing further has been heard of Nibilistic plots in France.

To-day, however, the people of Paris were startled by a rumor published in the Soleil and other newspapers that an extensive plot had been discovered in the Russian colony, having for its object the destruction of the building in which the Chamber of Deputies

having for its object the destruction of the building in which the Chamber of Deputies meets and also the building occupied by the Russian Embassy. The conspirators, it was said, had arranged to blow up these build-ings with dynamite. Knowledge came to the police in some unknown manner, and an in vestigation was immediately set on foot. The rumor must have had basis in truth, for many of the refuges Russians, residing in Dublin Castle has been wrecked by an exploas usual, is credited with bringing about the many of the refugee Russians, residing in Paris and the suburbs, have been taken into custody. A number of houses occupied by the suspects have been searched by the porained, by the explosion in the Finance De-partment of Dublia Castle. The police are hard at work trying to find out the cause of explosion. At first it was thought that it was caused by a leakage of gas; this, however, has been found not to be the cause. All the gas connections have been found to be in

but it is not so clear why they should wish to destroy the French House of Parliament. It is conjectured, however, that the under standing existing between the French an Russian Governments is a matter of dislike to the Russian refugees, and that they de-termined to take vicarious vengeance on the Czar and his Government by blowing up the French Chamber of Deputies. partment, had just left his room when a tremendous explosion occurred therein. The floors, furniture and windows had

MENT AGAINST THE EMPIRE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. El.—The Oriental steamer Oceanic arrived yesterday afternoon, bringing Shanghai news to Dec.—The Morth China Daily Ness says: "So far from the news from the North having been exaggerated and the so-called rebellion being only one of the frequent raids of mounted robbers, to which Manchuria is accustomed, further news goes to show it is a serious rising. It is now stated that the leader is Li Hung, mentioned by Mr. Drummond, whose father, the foremost general, was beheaded by Yu Lu, the present military Governor of Mamchuria. If Hung swore to avenge his father's death, and he is now putting his threat into execution. He is an An Hai man, and his father was beloved by his troops and this accounts for three of the camps of An Hui men sent against him by the Viceroy, Li Hung Chang, having at once gone over to him, and for the Viceroy's hestitating to send more of his An Hui troops.

LORD STANLEY'S SPOCESSOR.

LONDON, Dec. R.—In political circles there is some talk of Lord George Hamilton succeeding Lord Stanley of Preston, whon the latter leaves Canada. Lord Hamilton ten years ago was remarked as one of the most promising young men of the Tory party, but he never fulfilled the promise. He owes his position in the Cabinet largely to his family and social connections. Another statement, less credible, names Lord Woiseley for the post.

ANXIOUS FOR WAR.

the President's Call

lice, and it is reported that a quantity of in-criminating documents were found.

It is easily understandable why the Rus-sian Nihilists should desire to wreck the Rus-sian Embassy and annihilate its occupants,

clows. The Islah Prity Council had intended to hold a session in the room directly over the one where the explosion occurred.

It transpired that a number of workmen have been employed in making alterations hately on the castle. One of the places being one has been employed in making alterations have been employed in making alterations have been employed in making alterations have been employed in making alterations in the room in which the Prity Council helds in their labors, so that all the changes proposed might be completed in their labors, so that all the changes proposed to held the counters of seeind proposed to hold their first the counters of seeind proposed to hold their first whether or not it was the object of those who caused the explosion to originate a scarce that would put a famper on the Viceregal Settivities is not known, neither is it in low whether or not it was the object of those who caused the explosion to originate a scarce that would put a famper on the Viceregal Settivities is not known, neither is it in low and the scarce of the fact remains, however, that while the workmen were pursuing their occupation transport in the office a bove, which shook the building and caused everyone to turn pule with fright. Fortmately no one was hart, but the force of the counters of the sadle ware hadly shattered. The police were immediately officially noticed of the occurrence, and began a close and searching investigation into the saflar. Fortmately no one was hart, but the force of the counters of the safle wave badly shattered. The police were immediately officially noticed the castle is very heavy. This continues of the safle was a scarce o to agree to it. Not only did they do this, but they ignored the subject entirely. They went so far as to decline to take part in the debates and explained that their action was in conformity with the wishes of their Government. At that time there remained, as there remain now, a number of unsettled matters between Chill and Peru, growing out of the war between those countries a decade ago. Those were the principal reasons why Chill objected to the proposed plan of arbitration.

EGAN'S GUESTS.

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The administration believes that they have found a means of affording protection to the refugees at the American legation even in the event of war. What to do wight these people has been a perplexing problem. It is now expected that in event of hostilities the representatives at Santiago, of Bussia and France will join in a request to President Montt that the nine Chilian refugees at present under the protection of Minister Egan be permitted to accompany him out of the country. It is also expected that the representatives of Great Britain will join in this request. If so it is hard to see how the Chilian authorities can refuse it. At all events the fact that the refugees are there will not prevent our Government making war on Chili if such an act be deemed necessary. CHILI'S CABINET. PRESIDENT MONIT COMPLETES THE WORK OF

SELECTING HIS MINISTERS. VALPARAISO, Chili, Dec. 2i. — President Montt has completed his Cabinet by the se-lection of Jush Castillian as Minister of Justice. The complexion of the Cabinet as now formed is as follows: Two Liberals, one now formed is as follows: Two Liberals, one Montt Varista, one Radical and two Conservatives or Clericals. Its first act will be to consider Chill's relations with the United States, as President Montt and his new Cabinet have no wish to appear in a hostile attitude toward the American republic.

It is thought there will now be a speedy solution of the questions pending. The review by the Frocurator Fiscal of Judge of Crimes Foster's report on the Baltimore outrage will be completed to-morrow.

By the authority of Congress to-day it was decreed that Senor Waldo Silva, one of the famous triumvirate of the Junta, should receive as a reward for his great services in the Congressionalist cause the sum of 9,000 pesos a year for life; also the honors of a vice Admiral, free railroad transportation and free postage. The same honors are bestowed on Senor Barros Luco, another of the triumvirate, and he is likewise to be presented with a library to cost \$20,000.

STUDYING THE ART OF WAR.

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WAR MATERIAL FORWARDED FROM THE BAST TO

Washington, D. C., Dec. Sl.—Within the past two days \$6,000 pounds of brown powder and 22,000 pounds of gun cotton have been forwarded from the east to San Francisco. The brown powder is intended for the naval great guns and the gun-cotton for shells and torpedoes. Beyond these facts there is nothing to be learned at the departments concerning war preparations. The Charleston and the Baltimore, which are en route to this country from Honolulu and Caliao respectively, have not been heard from recently, but they are expected to reach some port in telegraphic communication with Washington within a few days.

SETTLEMENT WITHOUT WAR WOULD BE A CEPTABLE TO CHILI.
SANTIAGO, Chili, Dec. Si.—It may be stated as good authority that Chili would not feel na good authority that Chill would not feel numiliated in helpins to the utmost of her power to terminate pe teefully and in manner nonorable to both b reelf and the United

BOUND FOR VALPARAISO. AND STEAMS SOUTH. IQUIQUE, Dec. 31 .- The United States cruise

Iquique is a nort of Calii about midway between Valparaiso and Caliao, Peru, where the Boston touched a few days ago. At that time it was said that the Boston was on the way to San Francisco. This statement was made as giving emphasis to the assertion that this Government was not sending ships to Valparaiso. The announcement of the Boston's arrival at Iquique indicates that she is on the way back to Valparaiso, and also that something unlooked for must have occurred in the Chilian situation to change her sailing orders. publication to-day bearing on the controversy. It is not at all likely that a move will be made on this end of the diplomatic chessboard until Chili's reply is forthcoming.

TATOR OF GUATEMALA. city to-day arrested a Spaniard who was act-Figuerva to start a revolution in Salvador. It

s positively stated here that it can be proved that President Barrillas was the instigator of that President Barrilias was the instigator of
the recent revolution in Honduras, which
has not been entirely suppressed.

President Barillas' plan seems to have been
to inaugurate rebell's its both Honduras
and Salvador, and to have a sham revolt
take place in Guatennia at the same time, in
order that he might declere the last named
republic in a state of slege, thus affording
him an excuse for a coup de 'etat.

It is said that Barillas is planning to have
himself proclaimed dictator, so as to give
him the opportunity to put off the elections.
President Ezeta is said to be in receipt daily
of insulting telegrams, from President Barillas, which are delivered at Ezetas' own
house.

Died From Eating Poisonous Corned Beef

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 31-Edna Fortner, god & years died this morning after eating some canned corn beef. Four members of the family who also partook of the beef are sick and no hopes are entertained of their recovery BOY BURNED TO DEATH.

KANSAS CITT, Mo., Dec. 81.—Carson Thornton, aged 11 years, the adopted son of Carson Thornton of 2411 Bellegiade avenue, St. Louis, was burned to death here yesterday. Louis, was burned to death here yesterday. The boy had been stopping with Mrs. L. W. Waiters of 811 East Eighth street, a sister of Mrs. Thornton. He and Claude Nicholas, aged 6, a stepson of J. C. Dudey, who lives next door to Mrs. Walters, were playing in an old tool-house. There was a stove in the tool-house, which they filled with straw and poured kerosene over it. Then they put a lighted match to it. The stove exploded, setting fire to the place. The Nicholas boy escaped, bndly burned, but young Thornton was dead when taken out.

FATAL GAS EXPLOSION. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 31 .- An explosi of gas took place this morning at Hampto Mine, operated by the Lahigh & Wilkesbarro

LABOR NEWS

Western Union Telegraph Opera Leave Their Keys.

GALVESTON, Tex., Dec. 31.-At San Anton tonio & Aransas Pass Railway officials transmitting advertisements to Eastern papers for operators to take the place of strikers along that line of road. A meeting of Gaireston Western Union operators was held yesterday afternoon decided that the San Antonio operators struck without sufficient cause. San Antonio & Aransas Pass Railway officials say pienty of men will be on hand a few days hence.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC TROUBLE SETTLED. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. M.—The trouble be-tween the Southern Pacific Co. and the Order

BACRIFICED TO SUPERSTITION.

the earliest practical date when she could be made ready for sea. Lieut, Ward has probably done this, but as yet his report has not reached the Mays Pennsymber.

PRELIMINARY SHOUTING AND WIRE PULLING COMMENCED.

favor an open caucus with a vote by roll call have suggested a secret ballot in the caucus.

Among the prominent backers of Foraker here are Editor Morehead of the Cincinnati

master-General E. G. Rathbone, T. B. Coul-ter, Sixth Auditor of the Treasury; sex-Secre-tary of State Ryan of Portsmouth and Assist-ant United States Treasurer Bailey of Cincin-

a select circle of friends and easorted to the Neil House, where ex-Gov. Foraker is also stopping. He refuses to talk beyond an expression of confidence in his success. He was closeted all day with his advisors.

Up to date Foraker seems to have the call if noise and enthusiasm count for enything. No changes in the announcement of members-elect have been made today, but by to-morrow it is expected that all who are now on the fence will come off and arrange themselves on one side or the other. The Foraker men are giving figures in a general way, while the Sherman men say nothing. Both sides claim everything in sight, but at this time the Foraker forces are most confident and jubilant.

REPUBLICAN OBSTRUCTIONISTS. PLANNING TO PREVENT NEW YORK'S SENATE

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—A morning paper prints this: "The Republicans of New York are holding consultations regarding the recent contested election results in this State. Senator Hiscock voiced their sentiments when he said last night at the Fifth Avenue

"It is wrong; a monstrons wrong which cannot be tolerated."

There was a meeting of the Republican leaders of the State last night. It was held at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. There were present Senator Hiscock, ex-Senators Platt, Warner Miller, Collector Hendricks, Chauncey M. Depew, Chairman of the State Republican Committee, Brookfield, Col. Geo. Bliss and Joseph Choate as counsel.

The subject was discussed in all its bearings, and the future of the Republican party was carefully mapped out. Just what will be done none of the gentlemen present would say, but all were unanimous in sying that every leval means should be exhausted before a surrender is made.

The general opinion is that the Republican Sentors will refuse to join in the organization of the Senate until the Democrats are prepared to act fairly, but an confirmation from the leaders could be had of this view. One of them said:

"We can only advise. The Republican Senators will do individually what they believe to be honest and patriotic. No selinsh motives will weigh with them, and what they think right they will do."

The counsel for the Republicans have decided that immediately after Gov. Hill goes out of ordice teey will apply to Justices Barnard and Edwards of the Supreme Court for writs of contempt against the five members of the State Board of Canvassers for counting the Milord certificate from Tapchess Country

seat Walker, the Democrat, in the Twenty-seventh District and to appoint a committee to take testimony in the Collins-Berby and Hoyt-Donaldson contests. On the same day probably, a bill will be passed in both Houses providing for an enumeration of the people of this State. This is to be taken by the Secretary of State and will be completed in time for a gedistricting of the State of the Assembly districts before the Legislature adjourns.

this morning, though at the early hour of the present writing his train has not reached here. Secretary Foster has engaged rooms at the Neil House, but no news has been received here from Washington as to when he may be expected.

It is now almost certain that the caucus of the Republicans for Senator will be held on next Saturday. The Senatorial contest seems complicated with that for Speaker of the House. The Sherman candidate for Speaker is Laylin and the Foraker candidate is McGrew. Both are outspoken in their respective Senatorial preferences. The triumph

A CLEVELAND ORGAN. BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 81.—The Evening News

rhey were, First Assistant Postmaster-General S. A. Whitefield, Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General E. G. Rathbone, T. B. Coulter, Sixth Auditor of the Treasury; ex-Secretary of State Ryan of Portsmouth and Assistant United States Treasurer Bailey of Cincinnati.

Last night was spent in mustering the forces by both sides. Not half of the members of the General Assembly have arrived. Some of those that are here are non-committal. One Cincinnati Representative who was announced for Sherman by a Cleveland paper telegraphed a denial of it. Thomas of Canton, who was counted for Foraker, announced himself for Sherman. Allaman of Dayton, who, while non committal, has been counted for Foraker, prints a card in the Dayton Journal this morning announcing that he is for Sherman. It is believed by both contestants that the majority of the Senate favors Sherman, but while both claim the House both feel that it cannot be won without work. To all present appearances the vote will be close. From the shouting the Foraker party seems to have it, but it got here first with a large contingent.

What may be done in the way of the makeup of legislative committees and of the dispensation of State patronage to affect the choice of members for Senator remains to be seen. It is not known what the leaning of the concell of the Royal Geographical Society awarded a gold watch to Bishop Crowther 'in recognition of the Services he has rendered to geography.''

Hohenlohe was born Nov. II, ISBA, and was a retired Admiral in the royal navy and Governor of Windsor Castle. He married Jan. 26, 1851, Laura, the youngest daughter of Admiral Sir George Seymour. Prince Hohenlohe's mother was the half sister of Queen Victoria, the Ducheas of Kent. His father was Emich Charles of Leiningen, the first husband of the Ducheas of Kent. Prince Hohenlohe's sickness was aggravated by an attack of influenza, which caused a rapid change for the worse in the throat trouble from which he had been suffering for months. His daughters were hastlif summonad to

Berlin, Dec. M.—The funeral services ove the remains of the late Sir William White, th

EX-LIEUT.-GOV. ARMSTRONG.
St. PATL, Minn., Dec. 81.—Thomas H.
Armstrong, ex_Lieutenant-Governor of Minnesota died of Bright's disease last evening at the age of 62 years at Albert Lea. He served in both Houses of the Legislature and was one of the most influential Republicans in the State.

in the State.

ARCHDEACON NORMS.

LONDON, Dec. St.—Archdeacon J. Pilkinton
Norris, B. D., just appointed as Dean of
Chichester is dead. He had the Archdeaconry of Bristol in 1881.

DR. CHARLES MEIGS WILSON.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 81.—Dr. Cha
Meigs Wilson, Professor in Tennessee Med
College and a contributor to medical lite
ture, is dead.

DEATH OF AN INVENTOR.

NORWALK, O., Dec. 21.—John 5. Hickey, inventor of the knitting machine which bears his name, died in this city this morning, aged 44 years.

aged % years.

OEO. W. WALLING.

KEYPORT, N. J., Dec. 21.—George Washing ton Walling, ex-Superintendent of the New York Police, died this morning after a briefliness of pneumonia.

FLORIDA LANDS.

TERRORIZED A TOWN

Two Desperate Men Make Matters

Lively at Broken Bow.

PRICE, FIVE CENTS.
BY CARRIER, PIFTEEN CENTS PER WEEK

PART PLAYED BY A WOMAN WITH A BUTCHER KNIFE

turn to America and Answer for His

IT CAN BE DELAYED NO LONGER BY JUDICIAS

LONDON, Dec. 81.—Tom O'Brien was once more brought up at the Bow Street Police Court before Magistrate Bridge on extradition proceedings to-day. O'Brien is charged with swindling James W. Peck of Albany, N. Y., out of \$10,000. His counsel asked the magistrate to grant the prisoner another remand. To this modest request the magistrate replied that the deposition showed that he would be justified in granting the extradition asked for. The repeated remands which had been applied for and granted to the pris-

BEATEN BY HER HUSBAND

A TEXAS TRAGEDY. GAINESVILLE, Tex., Dec. St.—News of a tragedy has just reached here from Castro County. The McClelland brothers called Ira Aten a liar, and Aten called them to account a few days later. Andrew McClellan had no weapon, and went off to get a revolver. He returned and began firing, and Aten shot Andrew through the body. Hugh was at the corner of a house shooting, and Aten struck him twice as he jumped from behind his protection. Andrew is not expected to live, Aten gave bond.

Aten gave bond.

Botsz City, Idaho, Dec. Bi.—In regard to the Northwestern Bureau of Education, whose affairs has been under investigation by the United States Grand-jury for some days past, indictments have been found against McEwan, Treasurer of the Board, and Prof. Fred Luca Squires, ex-principal of the Boise public schools. Squires is supposed to be in New Orleans and McEwan is somewhere in Honolulu. It is probable that both parties will be arrested and brought back bere for trial.



Maggie Hedspeth, a Confederate of the Gang, Also in Custody.



was traced to this city, and after the Glen ale robbery, a photograph, which had been ecured, was identified by a lady living next toor to 4244 Swan avenue, from which the oc-upants had suddenly decamped. Men were ent to every point at which Siye was likely to e communication nimes or through s. In this way another clew was ob-He was traced West and on Dec. 14 Harrigan secured information which ely located Siye in Los Angeles, Cal. s request on the San Francisco police
Robert A. Pinkerton, who happened to
San Francisco on a social visit, they
p the case there and arrested Siye in
ingeles, finding the watch taken
Messenger Mulyennen and n cash on his p der Chief Harrigan's instruc

speth, the leader of the gang, was arrested in Oakland, Cal., while calling for a decoy letter sent her by the St. Louis Chief of Police. The fact of Hedspeth being the chief of the gang, and of his wife or mistress being an accomplice, was also developed through Chief Harrigan's knowledge that Maggie Hedspeth was a sister of Siye's wife, and his success in identifying her as the woman who kept house for the gang at No. 4244 Swan

CAUGHT IN FRISCO.

HOW SLYE AND MAGGIE HEDSPETH WERE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—But for the

quickwittedness of Florence Waterman, the police here would to-day have all of the men who held up the train at Glendale, Mo., last November and stole \$60,000 from the express company. As it is, they have Florence Waterman herself, who is the wife of Marion Hedspeth, one of the leaders of the band, and Sly is now on his way to St. Louis in charge of Detective Wappington, one of the Pinkerton men, and the Water-

Siy is now on his way to st. Louis in charge of Detective Wappington, one of the Pinkerton men, and the Waterman woman is being kept here in the hope that Chief of Detectives Lees may succeed in getting from her information that will lead to the capture of the highwaymen who have escaped the net, Capt. Lees is the man who once before helped the 8t. Louis detectives out of a tight place by telling them where Maxwell was. He alluded to this to-day. "If the woman is not vastly different from others I'll have the information we want by night," said he.

Got a hint from harkigan.

The police here first learned that they had a party of train robbers in the State from Chief of Police Crowley that his men had traced the Glendale express robbers west, and believed that they were now in the West somewhere. Chief Harrigan gave descriptions of four men he wanted Chief Crowley to look for. These four were Marion Hedspeth, A. Sly and Dink and Charles Wilson, who were brothers. The Chief said that Sly and Hedspeth had married sisters, and that the two couples would probably be found together. These two men seemed to be the ones the St. Louis Chief was most anxious to get.

Waterman Ste lis wanted here on the Chief of Police Place the water in the mediately. Capt. Lees had several of his men out last night trying to ascertain where Mr. and Mrs. Hedspath had been residing. It is supposed that both were living together in light trying to ascertain where Mr. and Mrs. Hedspath had been residing. It is supposed that both were living together in light trying to ascertain where Mr. and Mrs. Hedspath had been residing. It is supposed that both were living together in light trying to ascertain where Mr. and Mrs. Hedspath had been residing. It is supposed that both were living together in light trying to ascertain where Mr. and Mrs. Hedspath had been residing. It is supposed that both were living together in the hear legath had been residing. It is supposed that both were living together in the legath had been residing. It is supposed t

Chief Crowley of his request to Pinkerton, asking bim to join him in all his work. Pinkerton got his Oakland and San Francisco men together, held a consultation with Chief Crowley, and they all started on the hunt.

They learned nothing of the whereabouts of the men or women till Chief Harrigan leiegraphed them a clew his men in St. Louis had got. This was that one of the men might be found in Los Angeles. Pinkerton sent for his man at Oakland and left him in San Francisco, while he took Detective Ross whittaker with him to Los Angeles. They found siye there, calling himself Denton, which seems to be one of his many aliases. Slye had just opened a saloon which he had bought a week after he got to los Angeles. He had created talk by showing a good deal of money and exhibiting himself in public places as a loud braggart. Some said that he had been accompanied by a woman when he first got to Los Angeles, but the detectives found he was living alone.

It seems that the St. Louis police knew siye, by all of his allases, End

THE CAPTURE OF ALL THE MEN IMPLICATED ALMOST ASSURED.

**Sessenger Mulrennan's Watch Found on Siye When He Was Arrested and the Messenger's Revolver Discovered in the Messenger's Revolver Discovered Revol

"I'm a detective, and the chief will tell you," he said.

He took her by the arm and she went with him quietly. It was then no longer possible for the police to keep the news from the papers. Tuesday a San Francisco paper had a vague telegram about the arrest of Siye in Los Angeles, but it was quite certain that the Hedspeths did not see it, or the woman would never have gone to the postoffice. Yesterday the papers here had accounts of the arrest, but Capt. Lees would let none of them see the woman. To day he is equally obdurate. "We are ail looking for Hedspeth," said he, "and expect to get him. We don't want to make any mistake, and we want to get all the information this woman has to give first."

The woman now in the City Prison who was arrested for complicity in the Glendale robbery near St. Louis, is very reticent. Under the most rigid examination by Police Captain Lees the woman would neither deny or admit that she was the wife of Marion Hedspeth, train robber. Her trunk was opened after she was brought to the city, but Capt. Lees stated



that it contained only clothing, and none of the stolen money. Last night Chief Crowley received a reply to his telegram to Chief of Police Harrigan of St. Louis announcing the arrest of Mrs. Hedspeth. It read as follows:

and Charles Wilson, who were brothers. The Chief said that Siy and Hedspeth had married sisters, and that the two couples would probably be found together. These two men seemed to be the ones the St. Louis Chief was most anxious to get.

About this time Bob Pinkerton came to San Francisco, looking after his Western agencies. Chief Harrigan knows him well and he telegraphed the famous detective to watch for the robbers and co-operate with Chief Crowley. At the same time he sent word to Chief Crowley of his request to Pinkerton, asking him to join him in all his work. Pinkerton,

THE TEAIN ROBBERS.

Adelbert D. Siye, alias Albert Denton, the train robber arrested in Los Angeles, Cal., is train robber arrested in Los Angeles, Cal., is now en route to St. Louis and is expected to arrive here to morrow morning. It is probable also that Maggle Graham, or Mrs. Maggle Hedspeth, arrested in Oakland, Cal., will be brought back to this city at once although the police have received no advice of her having started for St. Louis as yet. It may be, however, that she is being held in San Francisco pending the arrest of her husband, as it is known she was waiting in Oakland for a trubk which has been forwarded to her by express an which was in realty intended for harlon Hedspeti himself. Upon arrival here there will be no trouble about identifying them, as the police have already arranged to have their witnesses for identification on hand promptly. As will be seen from the story is following it will be possible for severa.

to the identity both of Siye and of Maggie Hedgeth.

ORIGIN OF THE CLEW.

The clew which resulted in the capture of Siy was given to the police the Sunday immediately following the robbery by a gentleman living in the neighborhood of 424 Swan avenue. He is in the railroad business, and at his request his name is omitted. To a Post-Dispators representative he made the following statement this morning: "These people." he said, "moved in the house at 424 Swan avenue a week or so before the saie robbery at Disterie's place, in that neighborhoud. There were four of them in all, and they represented themselves as Mr. and Mrs. Williams and two gentlemen boarders. They kept such a strange house and acted so queerly that they soon began to attract attention. The day after the Adams Express robbery they disappeared very mysteriously, and the day following one of the alleged boarders put in an appearance with a wagon and took away a large trunk and a lot of bed clothing, but did not touch the furniture. Seeing that none of them came back I became more suspicious than ever and concluded to tell the police something about their strange doings. I was told not to say anything by the police and we all kept exceedingly quiet on the subject. About the same time Mr. Savighac, the owner of the handoned house, entered the place and took a look through the rooms. He found the



furniture all there and copies of the daily papers issued the day after the robbery thrown about the tables. The papers were open in such a way that a person on picking them up would at once see the articles on the train robbery. Medicine bottles were also found and the label indicated that the prescriptions were put up in St. Joseph, Mo., and Omaha. Detectives Allender and Viehle went through the place with Mr. Savignac and made a thorough search. It was next concluded to explore the vault back of the bouse. A stout negro was engaged for the work, and it was conducted quietly at night. He did not search long before he found two revolvers. One of these was immediately identified by the detectives as part of the property taken from the person of Exprass Messenger Muirennen after he had been injured by the dynamite explosion. A pair of shoes covered with yellow mud and sand were also found hid in the honse. This was another strong point, as the country out near Glendale is rich in sand and gravel. The shoes were also taken charge of by the detectives. When the detectives came out later with two photographs a friend of mine living in the adjoining house promptly identified the two men portrayed as part of the strange outfit that occupied the house. Where that fellow took the trunk the day after the outfit skipped was the mystery the detectives started out to solve immediately after finding Muirennen's pistol in the out-house. The medicine bottle with the St. Joseph label gave the detectives the start in that direction. The descriptions given of Hedspeth, Mrs. Hedspeth and Sly tally with the strange quartet who occupied the Swan avenue house, and I have no doubt they are the same people, in fact, I am sure of it They are also, I am satisfied, the organized band of safe blowers who infested the city just before the Express robbery."

"What did they do that caused the people in the neighborhood to regard them as strange people?"

"The men never got up or left the house until noon or later, and they used to be going a

setting a lay of the land."

STORY OF THE PURSUIT.

The entire gang was traced from St. Louis and the story of their pursuit is a deeply interesting one. It is now told for the first time; the local police department recognizing the fact that the arrests in Los Angeles and Oakland, Cal., render further concealment of oakland, Cal., render further concealment of work on the case impossible.

On Sunday night, Dec. 6, following the Glendale robbery on the Monday night previous, Chief Harrigan received intelligence that a house, No. 4244 Swan avenue, which had been occupied since Nov. 19 or 20 by four men and a woman and newly furnished, had been suddenly vacated. The neighbors were mystified by the sudden flight of the tenants, who had left the furniture in the house and had given no intimation of their intention of leaving. Chief Harrigan at once, through Chief of Detectives Desmond, caused two detectives to be sent out to No. 4244 Swan avenue to make an investigation.

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Almost the first thing they found was as told above, the revolver taken from Express Messenger Mulrennan of the Adams Express Co. on the night of the robbery, and the fact was thus assured that they were on the track of the right men. The first step taken after that was to get a description of the men, which was obtained from the neighbors. From this description Chief Harrigan took a course which led him straight to a definite identification of the robbers. The descriptions furnished by the neighbors had caused him to believe that Siye was one of the men who had lived in the house, 4244 Swan avenue. He knew also that Siye's wife and one Maggie Daniels of St. Joseph, Mo., were sisters, and he came to the conclusion that it was one of these women who had been the housekeeper at 4244 Swan avenue. In the possession of the police was a photograph of Maggie Daniels, sister of Siye's wife, who had, it was known, married ex-Convict Marion Hedspeth in February, 1891. The house No. 4244 Swan avenue had been rented from a Mrs. Savignac, the photograph of Maggie Daniels, sister of Siye's wife, who had, it was known, married ex-Convict Marion Hedspeth in February, 1891. The house No. 4244 Swan avenue, and to Mrs. Savignac the photograph of Maggie Daniels, was shown and Mirs. Savignac at once identified it as the picture of the women who had kept house for the four man at 4244 Swan avenue, and it was thus made almost certain that Marion Hedspeth and Adelbert Siye were implicated in the Giendale train robbery. Mrs. Savignac also described those two perfectly in describing two of the men who had rented the house from the renting the house for the name of L. L. Williams.

The next step was the identification of the furniture left in the house. It was found that it had been purchased from the Strauss-Emerich Oc. was seen by the police then knew to be ex-convict Marion Hedspeth, and the description of Williams tallied exactly with

gang had flown from St. Louis:

HEDSPETH'S LETTERS.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 11, 1891.

Strouss-Emerich Outfilting Co:

DEAR Sin: I am sorry to have to inform you of my intention of allowing you to take back the furniture I purchased of you. My father has just died and I am compelied to stay at home and take care of mother and attend to her business, and of course I could not afford to pay for furniture I don't need. I am compelied to loss the amount I paid on them. I suppose, you will find the key at 424 V Norfolk avenue, and will find everything there, and bope you will not lose anything I my mistoriume. L. L. y Hilliams.

The letter was written in pencil and was badly spelled, Another letter was also turned over to the police by a party whose name office the police by a party whose name office flarting and eclines to make public, the second letter reading as follows:

DEAR FRIEND—My poor fasher died to-day and will be buried day after to-morrow. I feel very sad and broken-hearted. He died easy and hope was prepared to ga. Will you please go and get and the process of them. I guess I'll live at home with the process.

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house No. 1224 Swan avenue, some gang.

The arrest of Siye in Los Angeles precipitated the arrest of Maggie Hedspeth in Oakland, Cal., and has probably caused Marion Hedspeth to again take flight, but Chief Harrigan believes that the latter will be arrested in San Francisco within a few days. Diamonds valued at \$175 were found on Maggie Hedspath when she was arrested.

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In addition to locating the gang while in St. Louis at No. 424 Swan avenue, the police found also that before renting that house they had all boarded at a house on Chestnut street west of Jefferson avenue, the exact location being withheld by the police. In this connection there was a development this feature of the St. Louis career of the gang.

Mr. S. G. Adams, who resides on Chestnut street, between Jefferson avenue and Beaumont street, stated to day that he was satisfied that the express robbers are the same outnit in noticed so frequently standing in front of a large house on the north side of Chestnut street, head to day that he was satisfied that the express robbers are the same outnit in noticed so frequently standing in front of a large house on the north side of Chestnut street, near Jefferson avenue. "Just before Ford's butcher shop was robbed," he said, "I noticed three suspicious characters who used to stand and sit in front of that house, I had occasion to pass there late every evening, gnd they were there almost every night. After Ford's safe was blown open they disappeared."

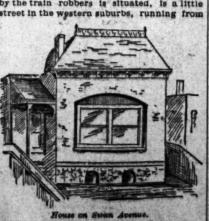
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THE TRUNK FROM ST. LOUIS.

A small trunk and an express receipt for it formed two very mysterious links in the chain of evidence which carried the detective to California. The trunk was sent from the Swan avenue house by the train robbers to Oakland, Cal., and the express receipt was sent a few days later. How they learned of this Chief Desmond refuses to say, nor will be tell where the trunk is now, but he says he has the receipt for it. The trunk does not contain money, it is said, but only the clothes and papers of the thieves. Chief Desmond is familiar with its contents and knows to whom it was sent, but he refuses to disclose the name, thoughst is generally understood it was directed to one of the robbers who is still at large and was to be called for when he reached Oakland and secured the receipt was sent. From this and other facts coming to light it seems that Chief Desmond has been aware for some time that the train robber gang were to make their headquarters at Oakland, Los Angeles or 'Pris

RENTED BEFORE. by the train robbers is situated, is a little



How the daring deed was committed—the Plunder Secured.

The Glendale train robbery ranks among the most daring and successful affairs of its kind which have been perpetrated since the first steam locomotive turned a wheel. Near a large city, almost within the shadow of its limits and in the midst of a thickly inhabited suburban country, a treasure-laden car was deliberately blown open and riled of everything the robbers could lay hands on. The affair occurred on the evening of Nov. 30. The city was all ago over the parade inhonor of Archbishop Kenrick. Many people had come from the neighboring country to witness the festivities. It was in this somewhat distracted state of the public feeling that the cool, calculating robbers held up and robbed the Adams Express car, attached to the 8:35 p. m. 'Frisco train, near Glendale Station, twelve miles from the city. Two of the robbers boarded the train at one of the stations nearer the city, probably within the limits, and lay concealed on the tender until the train approached Glendale. At mat point they arose from their position and crawled forward to the cab. They covered Engineer Albert Wagner and Fireman H. J. Daily with revolvers and called upon them to throw up their hands. They ordered the engineer and fireman were ordered to go to the rear behind the express car. They remonstrated with the robbers on the danger of the position, but they got no satisfaction. A fusilade of shots was kept up for a few minutes by the robbers, which had the enert of intimidating the passengers and crew without doing any injury. There was a luil, and then there came a terrifice explosion, and the door of the

WEAR THE PROPER THING PAT. CALF. 205 N. BROADWAY. CORDOVAN, CALF KANGAROO. struck him in the hip and disabled him. The robbers entered the cars and went about their work with celerity and dispatch. They opened the safe, how is still unknown, and emptied the contents into canvas bags, attached to their shoulders. The men then destroyed the company's way bills and disappeared. It is not known how many were concerned in the robbery, but it is believed that there were six engaged in the job. The four whe did not appear at the first attack on the engineer and fireman were in hiding anjacent to the prearranged scene of the robbery. The men had horses secured near by, and hastily mounting them, made good their escape. The amount of the haul has never been stated by the express officials, although they know the exact sum taken. The train was the richest, in point of express matter, that leaves St. Louis on that road, and was known as the Colorado express. The sum has been estimated all the way from \$25,000 to \$100,000. SUNDAY OBSERVANCE.

the cottage. There was a woman and two or three men. They behaved like ordinary people and, in fact, attracted no attention whatever. The furniture was new but plain, and when they left a team came and took the furniture away.

WHO THE MEN ARE. THE RECORDS OF THE PRISONERS CHARGED WITH THE GLENDALE ROBBERT.

Speaking of the robbers and their antecedents, the police say that the leading men who are now deep in the meshes of the train robbery case, rank among the star crooks of the country. Adelbert D. Slye, alias Bent Siye, alias Albert Denton, has made his mark in the dangerous but profitable field of frain robbing. He has a wife and several to find robbing. He has a wife and several are residents of Independence, Mo. The official description of Siye states that he resides at 409 North Second street, St. Joseph, Mo. The official description of Siye states that he resides at 409 North Second street, St. Joseph, Mo. He is an American by birth, but of English parentage. His legitimate line of business is an express driver, but he has taken, the police say, to the more lucrative profession of a robber. There are two charges against him for embezsiement and larceny. Strange to say, he is, in spite of his occupation, a Mormon. He is 35 years dark-featured and slimity built. His hair is black, tinged with gray, although he is still a young man. His eyes are brown and overshadowed by heavy dark brows that lend a look of sternness to his countenance. The police have him marked by a scar above his left eye and by two false teeth in the front of his mouth. The police say that Siye is also implicated in a train robbery committed in his mouth. The police say that Siye is also implicated in a train robbery committed in his mouth. The police say that Siye is also implicated in a train robber with the front of the was received at the Missouri Fenitentiary in November, 1857.

The police allege that Marion, allas Maggie Hedspeth, alias Florence Watterman, alias Williams, is known to fame. Principality Because she is the wife of Marion Hedspeth, alias Florence Watterman, alias Williams, alias Davis, alias Sam Woods, and the whole category of higher crime. He is a say is the clutches of the law, so the police say. Hedspeth distinguished himself several years ago by perpetrating and maring. Slye, alias Albert Denton, has made his

himself several years ago by perpetrating a bold daylight robbery in Omaha, Neb. He and his pai entered the offices of the car stables and approached the clerk in charge of the money. The man glanced up at the intruders and saw a pair of revolvers staring him in the face. "Open that safe" the men demanded. The clerk compiled instantly and the robbers made off with \$600, in the midst of the daily rush of people. He has a total theft to his credit of \$200,000, but the police say he has not one nickel of it left. After the manner of his guild he has spent his dishonest earnings in dissipation. The police have Hedspeth's delerition from the records of the Missouri peniteatiary. In referring to these, the police say that Hedspeth is 20 years old and a native of this State. He has no trade or profession, but is a simple laborer. He is 5 feet 10 inches tail, weighs 160 pounds. He is a larger man than his confere, Siye, who is only 185 pounds. Hedspeth is dark featured like Siye, and has black hair. His eyes are of the same brownish cast. His parents are at the present time residents of Pisgab. Mo. He is not a Latter Day Saint, nor a believer in any religion. He was sent to the penitentiary Nov. 19, 1883, from Cooper Counity, on two charges of grand lardeny and jail breaking, for seven years.

The others implicated in the robbery are stars of a lesser magnitude. They are four in number, but only two of them are known to the police. They are said to be birds of passage who fied to the west for lear of arrest in the East. Lucius R. Wilson, alias Dick Wilson, and Charles F. Wilson, his brother. They are said to be birds of passage who fied to the west for lear of arrest in the East. Lucius R. Wilson as a smooth face and a high forehead and dark hair and has rough skin and shaggy eyebrows mark him a man of grit. He is a coolheaded fellow, and speaks in a deliberate, calculating manner. He resides nominally at 2846 Cossins street, Omaha. His brother, Charles F. Wilson, is 28 years old, and is only 5 feet 8 inches tail. He w "No, that was all moon shine," said mr. Damsell.
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"It is generally believed that the company you about \$60,000?"
"Well, you can say that, if you please, but don't quote me," said Mr. Damsell.
"Do you expect to get back your lost money?"
"Perhaps," said Mr. Damsell, smiling, "Perhaps," said Mr. Damsell, smiling, "but that is entirely a secondary consideration."

Lean's Building, on New Year's Day, be-tween 2 and 5 p. m. Certificates date from day of examination. All are welcome. Bring 33 with you. This is the solid seven year

HOW THE DARING DEED WAS COMMITTED—THE PLUNDER SECURED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 81.-John M. Fin washington, D. C., Dec, 31.—30m M. Finerty, the inventor of the cotton picker, died in this city yesterday. He was '4 years old. Mr. Finerty was born in Ireland and after coming to this country engaged in business in St. Louis, where he was accumulating a fortune, when the war began. He lost all by the war. Mr. Finerty was also the inventor of a railroad spike and a ballot box.

The Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets at reduced rates to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth and intermediate points on Dec. Si and Jan. 1, good to return until Jan. 4. For rates and tickets apply at the Burlington Route City Ticket Office, 218 North Broadway. Clairette Soap. On sale at grocery stores.

MR. DAMSELL PLEASED.

ROBBER WITTROCK.

Superintendent W. H. Damsell, who has

been acting with Ohief Harrigan and the other detectives throughout the case, said to-day: "We don't intend to let up until we have the last one of the men in jail. The company has always followed up its cases in this way, and no Adams Express robber has ever got away. If he didn't die, he was arrested,"

"Did any of your clues in the case come rom Wittrock, the Fotheringham robber?"
"No, that was all moon shine," said Mr. Damsell.
"Are you willing now to state exactly what

"but that is entirely a secondary considera-tion."
"Do you consider that this case has been a more difficult one to handle than the Witt-rock case?"
"About the same. The detectives have done excellent work. Chief Harrigan got the first clue and really worked the whole case, although we have not been idle here."

New Leaf to Turn For.

Arrangements have been made to have ap Deputy E. H. Jerralds' office, room 10, Mc

New York, Dec. 21.—The funeral of James M. Gilbert, late manager of the St. Charles Theater at New Orleans, took place this morning at "Little Church Around The Cor-ner," Hev. Dr. Charles Houghton officiating. Several members of the Actors' Fund at-tended.

Resolutions Adopted by the Illinois Sabbath Association.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 81 .- The Sabbath Association of Illinois concluded its annual state meeting here last night. The resolutions adopted declare that rest on the Lord's Day is required by men; that Sunday newspapers have no right to deprive men of that egularly recurring rest day to which they are entitled by the law of nature and the law of God; that the railroad and street car men of the world are grossly wronged by being deprived of their rest on the Lord's Day; that the Columbian Exposition should not set deprived of their rest on the Lord's Day; that the Columbian Exposition should not set such an example, that our nation and the foreigners flocking to this country should not make this exposition an occasion for defring God and oppressing men, and that the association request the State Board of Agriculture to see to it that the exhibit of this State is clos did to the jubilc on Sunday whether the exposition as a whole is so closed or not.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 31.—The United States steamer Albatross, which has been engaged in surveying a route for a sub-marine cable between the United States and the Sandwich Islands, was sighted off the coast this morning, returning here from Honolulu.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31 .- Sig. Carlo A. Chizzola, he veteran operatic manager, died in Paris

fine linen, wash only with Clairette Soap. Brussels Declines. BRUSSELS. Dec. 31.-The Government has leclined to ask the Belgian Parliament for a

grant to cover Belgian's part in the Chicago

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Never peddled. 288 JAMES PYLE, N.Y.

GRATE-Nee Dedyard-On Wednesday, Dec. 30, at 90 clock a. m., Louisa, beloved wife of Arthur Grate, aged 20 years and 4 months.

Funeral will take place from family residence, No. 7512 Water street, Carondelet, on Friday, Jan. 1, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

LUNDT—On Wednesday, Dec. 20, at 5:45 a. m., Enicit, beloved husband of Elise Lundt, nee Goett-ker, age 47 years 2 months and 20 days.

Funeral will take place on Saturday, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 916 Biddle street. Friend of the family invited to attend. O'BRIEN.—On the 30th inst., at 6:15 p. m., at the family residence, 2527 Elliot avenue, Officer Thomas O'Brien, nee O'Malley.
Due notice of the funeral will be given.
Los Angeles (Cal.) and Haverhill (Mass.) papers please copy.

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O'LA RARGE.—EDNA CREELIA, youngest daughter of Albert G. and Thuresa O'LaBarge. Dec. 30, at 11 p. m., aged 3 years, 4 months, 10 days.

Funeral at 2 p. m. from residence, 3717 Moditt av. Integment private.

BLATTERY—Thursday, Dec. 31, 1891, at 2:30 a. m., Mrs. Mant, beloved wife of the late John Slattery and our dear mother.

THOS. J. SLATTERY. Mona SLATTERY.

TEMESA SLATTERY, Mrs. RATTE Walset,
Mrs. JOSIN FINON. Mrs. LUZIE SOUTHERN.

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Louis Priests to Insist Upon Naming

IMMEDIATE APPOINTMENT TO BE PERSISTENTLY URGED.

Labors and the Absolute Necessity of an Assistant Bishop in the Diocese.

week brought the matter home very forcibly to the clergy and the recent death of Bishop ughlin of Brooklyn is looked upon as an A WARNING.

hop Laughlin was ten years younger an Archbi shop Kenrick, but his death was erated by overwork:

ws it in the light of a warning to the St.

There is another matter which arises in connection with this, which is causing a great deal of anxiety and uneasiness among the clergy of the diocese. The Archbishop gained for the clergy of this country the right to vote for the election of a bishop or coadjutor and had the matter incorporated in the decrees of the last council at Baitmore. But strange to say, he never promulgated these decrees in this diocese, so that his clergy are denied the exercise of a right given to every other priest in the country and gained for them by the Archbishop of St. Louis. The friends of the Metropolitan say that the explanation of this is that the Archbishop feels that he is too old to enforce the decrees of the council, as it would mean a reorganization of methods and discipline, and that he leaves the laborious task to his successors. But these decrees play an important part in the appointment of his successor or a coadjutor, if he ever consents to the appointment of one, and the feeling has been growing among the clergy that they should be promulgated at once.

WHAT THE CLERGY THINK.

Father Phelan's paper is the mouthplece of the American clergy of this diocese and their views on the matter are clearly outlined in the continuation of the editorial, which reads as follows:

We are concerned about Archbishop Kenrick's

law of the American Church. It would be a poor to turn for all the love they bore him to go down to his grave with an edict of their distranchisement in his hand.

This looks like a very plain statement of the case, and is a declaration that the priests of the diocese will insist on their right to a voice in the appointment of an ecclesiastical superior. This is strengthened by the conclusion of the article which is a protest against the old method of appointment by the bishops and an intimation that the clergy will brook no abridgement of their rights. Here are Father Pholan's words:

FRIESTS CLAIM THE RIGHT.

If an assistant comes he will bring with him the right of succession. We insist that he shall come as our bidding or/not at al. We and no orcredishop Kenrick have the right and duy of each this matter in this light and of his own me to prepare the diocese to take care of itself should persist in tempting fate, we shall have to look elsewhere for the province to a coadjutorship, and it cannot be said that we have been hasty. It has been said that Archbishop Kanrick intimated to one of the visiting archbishop of the province together soon and a matter of coadjutor would be discussed. We have a word to say in this matter. The bishops of this province have nothing to do in the matter. The persons to

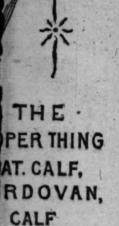
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What effect all this will have on the Archbishop is an open question. His objection to the appointment of a coadjutor was explained in an article which appeared in this paper a few weeks ago. The authorities at Rome committed a great breach of ecclesiastic etiquette in not consulting the Archbishop at the time of the removal of his former co-adjutor, Archbishop Ryan, to Philadelphia, nor did they send the Archbishop any official notice that this coadjutor had been removed. The Methopolitan of St. Louis has been on his dignity ever since. He has been performing unassisted the arduous duties of the diocese ever since, but his advanced years and falling health will render that impossible in a short time. The situation has to be faced, and the friends of the diocese are setting a movement on foot to bring the problem of the appointment of a coadjutor to a satisfactory solution.

THE pride of housekeeping is Cinirette Soap, the secret of sweet, wholesome clothes. AN ACT LEGALIZED.

Michigan's Legislature Sustained by the State Supreme Court.

Lansino, Mich., Dec. al.—The Supreme Court has banded down an opinion sustaining the validity of the act creating the county of Dickson. As this act was passed by the vote of Senator Fridiander it was necessary for the majority to hold that Fridiander was legally seated. This it did by declaring that the journal of the Senate shows that a quorum was present when Senator Moore was unseated. Justices Long and Grant filed a dissenting opinion, in which they declare that the Journal, through afficient shows that a quorum of the Senate was not present when the latter was seated and consequently his acts as Senator were lilegal.



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AN IMMEDIATE APPOINTMENT TO BE PERSISTENTLY URGED.

Death of Bishop Laughlin Through verwork Creates Agitation Begard ing Archbishop Kenrick's Arduou Labors and the Absolute Necessity of an Assistant Bishop in the Diocese.

continued ill-health of Archbisho The continued ill-health of Archbishop Kenrick has been causing great uneasiness among the priests and people of his diocese. His persistent hitention to perform the duties of his office unassisted has given rise to the fear that he will give way under the strain. His sudden attack of illness after Jubilee week brought the matter home very forcibly to the clergy and the recent death of Bishop Laughlin of Brooklyn is looked upon as an al warning.

op Laughlin was ten years younger than Archbi shop Kenrick, but his death was clearly the result of a physical break-down

accelerated by overwork.

Father Phelan, commenting on it editorially in to-day's issue of the Western Watchman, views it in the light of a warning to the St.

THE pride of housekeeping is Clairette Soap the secret of sweet, wholesome clothes.

State Supreme Court.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 81.—The Supreme Court has handed down an opinion sustaining the validity of the act creating the county of Dickson. As this act was passed by the vote of Senator Fridiander it was necessary for the majority to hold that Fridiander was legally seated. This it did by declaring that the journal of the Senate shows that a quorum was present when Senator Moore was unseated. Justices Long and Grant filed a dissenting opinion, in which they declare that the journal, through affidavits and protests which the seventeen Republican Senators filed on the day succeeding the seating of Fridlander, conclusively shows that a quorun of the Senator was not present when the latter was seated and consequently his acts as Senator were lilegal.

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writings prevents their popularity and their substance has been widely regarded as of no value. "Leaves of Grass" has been condemned for Indecency on account of its outspokenness, and when a complete edition was published in Boston in 1881 the Massachusetts authorities objected to its sale in that State on the ground of immorality.

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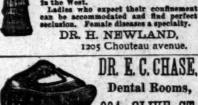
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for PITCHER'S ASTORIA joint debate with Senator Peffer is still fresh in the minds of the people. It is the success achieved in this affair which furnished the knob his friends are grasping to open the door of the Senatorship for him. His home papers are solid for him, which is a good in dication, and Abliene will doubtless send a hardworking delegation to Topeka to-day to plead for their favorite son. He has the friendship of Ben Simpson, the Kingmaker, which is a great thing in an hour of need. Simpson admires the Abliene statesman in a fatherly way and believes that there is much in him. And Simpson is a man who is seldom fooled in his estimates of men.

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE-Marie Walnwright. OLYMPIC-"Shenandoah."
THE HAGAN-Maggie Mitchell.

MATINEES TO-MORROW.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE-Marie Wainwright. HAVLIN's-Reilly and Woods.

STANDARD-City Club, Vaudeville & Burlesque C Weather forecast for twenty-four hours beginning at 8 a. m. to-day, for Missour showers; southerly winds shifting to west erly; colder on Friday. A very decided barometric depression

new central in Colorado. Southerly winds, warmer weather and cloudy skies prevail m the Allegheny to the Rocky Mountains caused

such risk and responsibility rather than TO SUCCEED PLUMB. call the Legislature together to straighten out the electoral difficulty, the pressure upon him of interests opposed to the eeting of the Legislature must be ponderous and potent indeed.

MR. BROOKINGS' TESTIM ONY.

The testimony of Mr. BROOKINGS before the Polytechnic Investigating Committee does not strengthen the position of the officials who put through the sale of the building with such unseemly haste. Although he endeavored to help them ou of their embarrassing situation by saying that be would not have paid more than \$120,000 for the property, he makes other statements which show that if the deal was not a job it was an almost incredible piece of folly on the part of the agreeing directors.

Mr. BROOKINGS would not have purchased the property if he did not consider it a good investment, but he formed his judgment upon good reasons which any man or set of men selling it should have had in view. He contradicts the testimony ered yesterday. of Mr. MILLER and his associates by saving that after a careful examination he found the walls of the building in excellent conadmitting that he has given an option on the property at the sum of \$175,000.

Adding the \$5,000 which Mr. BROOKINGS says the transaction cost him in addition to the original price should the sale at the figure at which he holds the property be completed he will have made a profit of \$50,000 without the expenditure of a dollar for improvements and before the possession of the property had passed from the School Board to him. This would be in effect a gift of \$50,000 from school directors to Mr. BROOKINGS at the expense of the

Sufficient evidence has been brought out to prove that the school fund was the victim of execrable judgment or crookedness. And if merely execrable judgment, why the neglect of formality and the haste to make and complete the deal? Why the attempt to squelch the investigation?

JUDGE NORTON'S OPINION.

The letter of ex-Chief Justice NORTON to Gov. FRANCIS on the electoral vote

Mai. Morrill Seems to Lead in the Race for the Senate.

when J. R. Burton came to Kansas he had the world against him. He had come with the reputation of being an elecutionist, and some one had put his name on his handbills with the part in the middle, "J. Raiph Burton." Although this was done without Mr. Burton's consent, he lived down the ignominy without a word of complaint. The fact that he has lived it down and that "those who came to scoff remained to pray," argues much in his favor. Nearly fifteen years ago Mr. Burton landed in Abliene; he made his first money in Kansas by teaching school, but soon began the practice of law. His energy and independence made him a force in local politics and in 1882 he was elected to the Lower House of the State Legislature and was made speaker protem. In 1883 he was temporary chairman of a state anti-monopoly convention which favored State centrol of the rail towich favored state control of the rail foods. This was at a time when John A. Anderson was agitating the railroad question in Northern Kansas. The leading men in the convention were J. Ware Butterfield, A. R. Green, E. J. Turner, Peter Percival Elder, George S. Green and the late Wirt Walton. In 1884 Burton was re-elected to the House and again in 1885, puring the session of 1885 and 1888 he and Jim Legate divided the honors of the leader-ship of the House between them. In the campaign of 1888 he stumped his native state, Indiana, for the Republican National Central Committee, and was with Mr. Blaine in Maine during the same year. His recent joint debate with Senator Peffer is still tresh in the minds of the people. It is the success achieved in this affair which farnished the GOV. HUMPHREY BESIEGED BY CARDI-DATES AND THEIR PRIENDS.

Appointment Will Be Made This Week -The Big Delegations Depart From Topeka-Sketch of the Men Who Want the Vacant Seat.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 31.—The most sanguine is Bishop W. Perkins, ex-Congressman from the Third District. Maj. E. N. Morrill seemingly leads the field, for the impression is will be honored. The Governor will give no pointment this week. Perkins expects the ent and thinks all he will have to do will be

The most surprising strength has been shown by the Morrill men. The claims of the ex-Congressman from the First were hardly taken into account until a delegation from dition, and caps his involuntary indict- his district errived in town and began to ment of the officials who made the deal by press his claims. Then it was discovered that Morrill had strength in all the other districts and no fight was being made upor

only the chief lieutenants are on guard to-day. Ben Simpson, the dark horse, crawled out of his hiding-place and interviewed the Governor this morning. He had no sooner and Schilling was followed by Cy Leland.
Mr. Perkins called on the Governor at 2
o'clock and made the last presentation of
his claims at that time. He has
answered fully and completely the
charges that he criticised the

State administration and Gov. Humphrey. Perkins attempted to show the Governor this afternoon that it would be foily to send a man to Washington to fill Senator Plumb's place who is unacquainted with the work there. Everything which Mr. Perkins could say in his own behalf applied equally to ex-Congressman Morrill, and that was what Senator Schilling and Cy Leland attempted to how the Governor.

The last delegation to present a favorite son The last delegation to present a favorite son to the Governor was from Kansas City, Kan., with Wm. Buchan for the central figure. Buchan made a good showing at his home, but nobody outside of Kansas City ever thought he had the remotest chance of appointment.

A sketch of some of the prominent candidates for Mr. Plumb's seat will be of interest.

Section 1. In the control of the con

Disastrons Railroad Accident at Main and Florida Streets.

CELSIOR FOUNDRY BUILDING.

Charles Henry, the Stock Dealer Who Fell From a Balcony at St. John's Hospital-Thomas Cleary Dies From the Effects of a Fall.

A sharp, sudden jar of the ground at Sec-nd and Florida screets, at 8 o'clock this

simpson admires the Abilene statesman in a fatherly way and believes that there is much in him. And Simpson is a man who is seldom fooled in his estimates of men.

Fighting Joe Hudson has strong claims for the position. First: Because he is a fighter; second, because he is a fighter, and third, because he is a fighter. He is popular on account of the character and the number of enemies he has made. His Topeka Capital has for many years been the chief Republican paper in Topeka, and a leader in Kansas. Before it swallowed up the Commonwealth it was the radical organ, and since then it has been what newspaper men call a fire-eater. Hudson is either "fer" or "ferninst" everything on earth. During the past campaign the Capital was used and abused all over Kansas, and Joe Hudson was roasted to a beautiful brown in every school-house in the State. Just what "inflocence" he has is not known; it may develop in unexpected places, and then again it may not. He would make the Alliance people about as wrathy in Plumb's old seat as Peffer makes the Republicans sweat in Ingalls' chair, He would poli a full party vote at any time and his appointment will mean that virtue has its rewards in politics outside of itself. As a Senator, his Republicanism would always wash and his vote could always be counted on. Personally, Mr. Hudson is a man of perhaps 80 years. He is stout, portly, and carries himself not unlike Senator Plumb. There is just the faintest facial resemblance between the men. As above inferred, Mr. Hudson is a man of strong likes and distikes. His strength lies in the manifest merit he has shown for the place by work for the party. Politically he has figured in Kansas for twenty years. In 1871 he was a representative from Wyandotte County to the Legislature. In 1875 he joined the farmers' movement and was a member of all sorts of co-operative movements and associations and things. But it didn't take long for him to get that out of his system. In 1878 he bought the Kansas Farmer. This was his first newspaper venture of age, married and came to this city from Macon City, Mo., where he was a stock dealer. He was taken to St. John's Hospital on Twenty-second and Morgan streets about two weeks ago, to be treated for typhoid fever. John Conion, the nurse, in whose care he was said to be, was a day nurse, but often remained on duty all night. Henry was delirious nearly all the time he was in the hospital. Last Tussday night at 9 o'clock he made up his bed, gave the sick man a drink of milk and, to prevent him escaping from the room during the night, he locked the door and tied the windows and blinds with hempen strings. Conion then went to sleep. Half an hour later he was awakened by a noise on the porch outside the window, and locking up he saw the window had been raised, the strings untied and the blinds open. Henry was not in his bed and he was not on the porch. Going into the yard he found the sick man lying on the ground, bruised, bleeding and unconscious. The nurse and the night watchman carried Henry to his room and called a doctor, but the physician could not ald him and he died at 2 o'clock resterday morning. A verdict of death by falling from a porch was given. The body will be sent to Macon City for burial.

announced the news of the birth of twins in the house of the Earl of Clancarty. To-day's of the Merchants' Exchange.

FREIGHT CAR CRASHES INTO THE EX-

street. He had finished his work and was riding to the Union Depot. When the train made the curve at Poplar street he was thrown off and broke his leg. He was taken

BLOOD AND BULLION.

Unsatisfactory Marriage of a Prince With a Top-Heavy Ancestor. NEW YORK, Dec. 81 .- Count Ferdinand many, a grandson of the Blucher of Waterloo monial experience. His career as a husband was brief, sensational and unsatisfactory. About a year ago the Count was married to 91 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn. The marrage took place in Milwaukee, where Miss Loeb had a married sister, Mrs. Fichtenberg, whom she was visiting. The Count is now in whom she was visiting. The Count is now in this city trying to get a divorce, and according to his story the marriage took place under very peculiar circumstances, only three days after he first met Miss Loeb. The Count said he was sitting in Miss Loeb's room at 80 clock in the evening when her relatives rushed in, declaring that he must marry her in order to save her name. They went out and returned with a Methodist Episcopal minister, who performed the ceremony. On the morning following the nuptials the Count declares that his wife was kidnapped and returned to her home in Brooklyn. The Count's father, who is Prince Blucher von Waldestott, on hearing of the marriage immediately cut down the Count's allowance ty Sibo per month and informed him that no American girl would be accepted as aft wife of one who bors the name of Blucher.

the Logislative Department of the State. The judiciary has furnished but few public men of prominence, and those few have given birth to the wish that there might be more of their kind. Judge Ferkins lives in a district where there are more diverse industries than in any other part of Kansas, and the fact that everybody is for him argues much in his favor. It is said to his credit that every State Senator in his district favors his appointment.

THE GLANCARTY TWINS.

A White Ribbon Marks the Heir to the Raridom.

of the Merchants' Exchange.

The caucus held late yesterday afternoon on the floor of the Merchants' Exchange for the purpose of nominating a President, two Vice-Presidents and five directors for the ensuing year was one of the most largely attended in recent years. A great deal of interest was manifested and nearly a thousand members were present when Mr. John Wahl called the caucus to order. Mr. D. F. Rowland was made Chairman and Mr. Wm. A. Mayo, Secretary. Mr. George Plant was put in nomination for the presidency by ex-Gov. E. C. Stanard and Capt. Issue Mason by Mr. A. T. Harland. Mr. Plant's nomination was seconded by Mr. Chas. A. Cox and Capt. Mason's by Mr. Henry Whitmore. A vote was taken resulting in 452 votes for Capt. Mason and Mr. Order. Plant. Messgs. W. T. Anderson, Wallace Delafield, C. Mr. Spencer and H. G. Croft were placed in nomination for vice-presidents. Messrs. Anderson and Delafield were declared the nomines on the first ballot. The vote for Directors resulted in the choice of Messrs. Marcus Bernheimer, Wm. S. Royd, E. A. Pomeroy, W. D. Orthwein and Edgar

influence of the Kansas delegation at Washington. During the last campaign he made speeches in nearly every doubtful Republican county in Kansas, his speech being again used as a campaign decument by the Republican by the Republican for the graphican by the Republican for the graphican for the graph

The committee appointed at yesterday's Exchange caucus to name the committees of Arbitration and Appeals for next year met this morning in the Exchange reading-room and prepared the following list;
Appeals—W. T. Haarstick. transportation; John H. Raibfists, flour; H. B. Bilbro, elevator; Wm. J. Smith. milier; W. T. Bartiev. Jr., provisions; M. J. Connor, grain commission; M. J. Kelley, railroad; Otto L. Teichmann. harley; Wm. Bull. insurance; E. S. Gugnon, real estate; J. Waller Teasdale, commission; Harry C. Hollman, produce.
Arbitration—Chris Hernet, flour; J. N. Evans, warehouse; Henry Koehier, brewers; John F. Ryan, grain; Chas. C. Orthwein, exporters; Albert Singer, stock and bonds; Edward J. McGroarly, feed store; John McAllister, provisions; Barron F. Smith, Miller; Lawrence Garvey, produce.

BROADHEAD'S BAD BREAK. enator Sparks' Neat Dissection

In a letter to a morning paper Senator Sparks of Warrensburg disposes of Col. Broadhead's advice to Gov. Francis with the

following clear and conclusive analysis: "The argument of Col. Broadhead, brought

A sharp, sudden jar of the ground at Second and Floridas screets, at a o'clock this morning, followed by crashing wails as morning, followed by crashing wails and the substitution of the many factories that crowd again the following clear and conclusive analysis: morning followed by crashing wails and the content of the many factories that crowd each other close in that part of the city and exploded its boliers. The crash came with breaking walls on the north end of the Excelsior Store Works. A Chicago, St. Faul & Milwaukee freely car fastly and the street of the following the switch of the Morchant's Terminal Railroad on the opposite side of the street. The car was driven into the wall, after leaving the switch of the Morchant's Terminal Railroad on the opposite side of the street. The car was driven into the wall, after leaving the switch of the Morchant's Terminal Railroad on the opposite side of the street. The car was driven into the wall, and the w

Mme. Esttaggia's Suit for Libel Against French Newspapers.

Paris, Dec. 31.—One of the most sensational social dramas in the long list of such events in France was presented at the Charente Assizes at Angellene recently; but it is now announced that the first real representation of this drama is to take place in the courts of Paris shortly. In other words, Mme. De Butte Bonaparte Wise, more generally known as Mme. Rattazzia, the well-known writer and editor of the Revue Internationale and of the Matinees Espagneies, has decided to bring sult for damages against several French newspapers for imputing that she incited M. Bouly de Lesdain, and the latter's lover, M. Regis Delboeuf, while the three people last mentioned were traveling in a reserve compartment, in an express train, during the night of April 27 last from Bordeux to Paris. Mr. Bouly de Lesdain, it may be remembered, saw, or though the saw, M. Delboeuf kissing his wife in the train as they were nearing Montmoreau, and the husband immediately drew a revolver, fired twice at Delboeuf, wounded him severely in the head, and then fired one shot at his wife, slightly wounding fired one shot at his wife, slightly wounding for the parison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum. Field is functional for such that is now in the high prison the prison of the vessels was really upon his indictment for forgeries of bills of indictment for forgeries of bil Paris, Dec. 31.-One of the most sensational

unique of this kind, and as tends to show the intense love one woman may have for another.

Mine. De Rutte, according to the newspapers she is suing, secretly 'telegraphed to M. houly De Lesdain from Madrid telling him that he might discover his wife with her louer, Delboeuf, at Trun, where the husband actually met them. Mine. De Lesdain, it should also be said, was the favorite companion of Mine De Rutte previous to the former's marriage to M. Bouly De Lesdain, she was some years older than her husband, who is a tall, dark, handsome man, while the latter's rival, M. Delboeuf, is short and stocky, and by no means good looking. She is the daughter of the late Col. Mortier, and married M. Bouly De Lesdain about eight years ago.

After her marriage, however, Mine. De Lesdain, did not leave her friend, Mine. De Rutte and her husband returned to Lille, where he is employed, about three days after their marriage. Since that time Mine. De Lesdain, accompanied by Mine. De Rutte, who ranks in the French literary world by the side of Mine. Edmond Adam, in all her nuberous journeys to Spain, Italy, Nice, Trouville, Aix Les Bains, etc., has only seen her husband who seems to be a prosaic kind of individual, for a lew days, at long in-

PERRENBACH'S ON FIRE

Woman Jumps From a Window and afternoon at 8 o'clock a fir-Thomas Ferrenbach & on the southwest corner of Eighteenth stree and Franklin avenue. In an instant almost the entire building was ablaze.
upper floors of the building rented out in tenements, and one of the women living on the third floor becoming excited in beholding the flames, and leaped from the win dow to the ground. She badly bruised, and is supposed have broken several bones and to have received internal injuries which will cause he

MISSISSIPPI RIVER IMPROVEMENT.

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leath. She was removed to the hospital

versity Club, The Legislative Committee of the Misimportant meeting at the University Club last night. sity Club last night. There were present Messrs. Murphy, Frank Neidringhaus, Haarstick, Samuel and Galennie of the committee, President Bernheimer of the Exchange and Congressmen Byrnes and O'Neill. Congressman Cobb could not by present and sent a message promising his earnest support and approval of any measures that might be adopted. The object of the meeting was to determine the best means of presenting to Congress the needs of the Mississippi kiver from its source to the passes. The form of a bill to be presented in the Senate and House after the holidays, was agreed on, and will be recommended to the Executive Committee on Tuesday next. A meeting will then be held at the Merchants' Exchange. The discussion at the meeting of the Legislative Committee embraced all phases of the question of the best means to be employed to secure from Congress a distinct recognition of the needs of the Mississippi River independent of any of its tributaries. A resolution was also adopted urging the st. Louis representatives on the River and Harbor Committee to secure an Item in the next bill providing for dredge boats, to be placed under the care of Maj. Miller, and to be used between the mouth of the lilinois and the mouth of the Ohio Rivers. The following is the Senate and House at the same time:

To enable the Secretary of War to complete the improvement of the Mississippi River from the ent Mesers. Murphy, Frank Neidring

The committee proposes to leave no stone inturned to secure an appropriation for the mprovement of the river, and have every ope of being successful.

THE INSANE FINANCIER.

Edward M. Field Takes a Little Solid Fooden NEW YORK, Dec. 31 .- Two days ago Edward Field took a fancy for solld food and cheered up under the influence of an occa-sional meal of stewed codfish, fresh eggs and toast. Whisky is still, however, his man declared insane. The papers and a bond for \$10,000 were sent to her. Mr. Field's brothers will probably be the bondsmen. No course of action, it is said, has been definitely decided upon; but a startling one, it is intimated, is under contemplation to get Field from behind prison bars and into an asylum.

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MERCHANTS' MERRIE KREWE

THEY WILL RECEIVE

The New Year Calling Custom Being Partly Revived.

"CARD RECEPTIONS" WILL BE HELD BY SOME SOCIETY LABIES

There Will Be No Old-Pashioned Open-House Calling, However, Among the Ultra Fashionable-The Big Ball and Reception of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T.

ceiving New Year's calls has been pretty generally abolished by those generally accepted as "society people," that is, the pleasant fashion until abused, and there are year there were several large receptions, at the gentlemen were invited by card to call. Miss July Thomson will receive, assisted by her circle of young lady friends, and this in-

Women's Christian Temperance Union. The

gave a very elegant duplicate whist party in compliment to Mrs. Dr. Robinson of Indian-apolls, who is visting her sister, Mrs. Miles treasures, gathered in her travels abroad, still Christmas decorations of holly and winter-green. The leading features of this enterainment were Japanese. Japanese tea was served from the daintiest of Japanese tea was served from the daintiest of Japanese ware, and Japanese nuts and fruits were served with the dessert, which concluded the deli-cious repast which followed the game. There were about fifty ladies present, among them Mrs. Bogy, Mrs. Oliver Garrison, Mrs. them Mrs. Bogy, Mrs. Oliver Garrison, Mrs. Charles Espenschied, Mrs. Philippine Overstoiz, Mr. and Mrs. Lyne S. Metcalf, Col. and Mrs. James L. Ford, Mrs. Waldauer, Mrs. George Plant, Mrs. Hoyt Green, Mrs. Moses Rumsey, Mrs. Geo. Meyer, Mrs. Hiram Ligett, Miss Lizzle Reed, Miss Sadie Sells, Miss Scander and others.

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Miss Mildred Stickney, a pretty little tot of 6 or 7 years old, gave a delightful little doll party on Wednesday afternoon, to which about fifty little girls were invited with their dolls—the occasion being a marriage in high doil life, which was a very interesting affair. Dolls of all ages were present, and the tollettes worn were simply superb.

Miss Rosalind Buel had a delightful soiree dansante last night at the family residence on South Grand avenue, opposite the reservoir. The spacious beautiful house was garlanded with winter-green and holly, and fragrant with the odor of fresh cut flowers. There was quite a large company of young people present.

The most byliliant event of holiday week was the reception and bail given last evening to me.

WILLIS-TYNDALL WEDDING. WILLIS-TYNDALL WEDDING.
The marriage of Miss Letha May Tindall, sister of Mrs. Geo. D. Barnard, to Mr. Gordon Willis took place at the residence of Mr. Geo. D. Barnard at 6 o'clock last evening, Rev. Wm. Short of St. Peter's officiating. The handsome home of Mr. Barnard, 47 Vandevenier place, was beautifully decorated with white roses and hyacinths. The oridal couple stood beneath a canopy of smilax and white hyacinths during the marriage ceremony.

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Mrs. Fred H. Ingalls will receive to morrow at her residence, No. 41B Westminster place, assisted by the ladies of the St. Louis Young Women's Carlistian Temperance Union. The hours are from a to 6, and the invitations are by card.

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visit her sister, Mrs. W. R. Donaldson of Washington avenue.

Miss Nefile Stockton has gone to Memphis to spend the Christmas buildays.

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Miss Blanche Adams is entertaining her

Mr. Joseph Newman arrived last week to spend the holidays with his wife at their house on Washington avenue near Grand.
Mrs. Gen. Davidson, who went to Washington City a few weeks ago, has decided to spend the winter in that city with friends. Exclusively for family use; try it. Mr. and Mrs. John Gould of 4189 Washing ton avenue entertained a large number of guests at progressive euchre on Wednesday

noon.

Mrs. Henry Rinehart, who is spending the holidays with her relatives at Boonville, Mo., will return to the city the first of next week.

Mrs. E. D. Ricker entertained the Union Club on Tuesday evening when there was a full attendance of the members and a very delightful game.

Mrs. Salile Stark Eggieston, who see on her plantation near Greenville, Miss., is expected shortly to make a visit to Mrs. Dr. Hardaway of Olive street.

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Mr. and Mrs. George W. Gunnison of Finney avenne will take possession of their handsome new home on West Morgan street about the middle of January.

Miss Phosbe Courins has been making a flying trip to Chicago and has returned to St. Louis. She and her mother are located for the winter at No. 809 Lindell avenue.

Mrs. Dr. Hardaway, who accompanied her mother on her Southern trip, is home again. Mrs. Page will join her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Lawrence, on the Gulf coast.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Holland, who arrived ten days ago to visit Miss Queen of the South Side-Mississippi avenue—have decided to remain over until after New Year's Day.

Mrs. A. Mark and Mrs. Frank James Levy, with Messrs. I. Thorn, H. Anterberger, Henry Harris and E. Harris, will be pleased to receive their friends on New Year's Day.

Mr. George D. Barnard, who has been spending the past teh days in the East, returned home yesterday to attend the marriang of his sister-in-law, Miss Lethe Tyndali, Miss Audubon of New York, a relative of the great naturalist, arrived this week to visit Mrs. C. A. Berthoud, who visited them last summer at their lovely home upon the Hudgon.

Mrs. James Plunkett has been quite seriously indisposed for the last ten days, a vic-

agreeable young matrons for patronesses.

Mrs. Thomas W. Nelson, who left the city a
few weeks ago to attend the golden wedding
celebration of a relative, has gone to Boonville to spend the boliday season with her
niece, Mrs. Lon V. Stephens. She is expected
early in January to visit her daughter, Mrs.
James T. Birch.

The St. Louis Camera Club has issued very
stylish invitations to their reunion in their
new quarters at the Pastime Club, No. 911
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Dr. Green arrived last week from his home in Tennessee, on the Virginia border, to spend the Christmas holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Harry B. Shaughter of Westminster piace. Mrs. Green has been with her daughter all fall, and will remain with her a few weeks longer before returning to her southern home.

At noon yesterday Benjamin Burger was married to Miss Lotta lielnselman of Kirkwood, Rev. Father Fenlon of Visitation Church performing the ceremony. Joe Burger, brother of the groom, acted as best man, and Miss Emma Heinzelman, sister of the bride, was bridemaid. After the ceremony there was a reception at the home of the groom's parents, 4115 North Market street. The young couple will make a tour through the South.

ST. LOUIS & SUBURBAN BAILWAY CO. New Time Card, to Take Effect Jan. 1892

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Trains leave Sixth and Locust streets at follows:

On west days—For Normandy and Carsonville, 6:45, 7:45, 7:45, 8:15, 9:15, 10:13, 11:15 a. m.,

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.-U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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Where to Buy or Rent a Pisne. Occupying our own building, and buying all ur goods for spot cash, we are able to sell all rades of planos 375 less than any other ouse. Kuerber Plano Co., 1108 Olive.

Officer Moran found a man about 46 years old wandering about Sixth and Morgan streets last night with his throat cut. He was taken to the Third District Station where he said his name was Thomas Hannen and that he was a Canadian laborer. He had attempted suicide because he had no money and could not find work. He was sent to the City Hospital. The wound is not necessarily fatal.

Bemoaning.

A retail grocer was bemoaning his failure to get along prosperously in business, and seemed to think it was not his fault. The gentleman to whom he was talking was an ex-grocer who had retired with a snug fortune made out of the business. The exgrocer, in order to illustrate one of the reasons why a better trade was lacking, called for a bottle of Dr. Price's Flavoring Extract of Vanilla. "I do not keep it." said the grocer, "but I have an extract just as good which I can sell at a less price." Here was a convincing proof that there were very good reasons why trade was poor. The ex-grocer says, "I was successful because I kept the best and finest goods and sold them at a fair profit. Poor goods, no matter at what price sold, will help to make your trade dwindle. The acquisition or loss of trade goes on silently and steadily in proportion as the grocer sells goods that please those who patronize him. I always sold Dr. Price's Flavoring Extracts, as my customers did not want cheapness at the expense of quality."

MAYALL BE HAPPY

Is The Wish of McNichols!

Christmas, sweet word of hope and cheer.

hweet time of comfort has been nore.

May all be happy, that's his prayer,

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Gifts cannot melt, like ceean's foam,

Gifts always lighten cares at home.

But without home, gifts would be lest.

And none would ears to pay the cost.

We Nichols stryes to help to make.

McNichols strives to help to make from spot more sacred, for love's sake; Be gives the changes—whate'er your state, And no one now need longer wait. If you are thrust out in the cold, Begin no new year like the cid, Taxe comfart, there's a way to get A pleasant home and free from debt.

This is McNichols' way—he strives
I say, to better struggling lives.
It sakes but liftile each to buy.
And only needs the pinck to try.
How many hearts depressed and sad,
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To see the whole scheme safely through,
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The New Year comes, awake and see
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ST. LOUIS SEMINARY.

B. T. BLEWETT, LL. D.,

JENNINGS, MO.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS. ST. LOUIS, DEC. 29, 1891.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Western Jeweiry Co. of 8t. Louis will be held at their office, 422 Washington av., on Monday, dan. 6, 1892, at 10 a.m. At which meeting an election of officers for the ensuing year will be held. DAYF FEISH, Fresident. MAX KANTERWITZ, Secretary,

NOTICE—Office of the Crereent Color Co.—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Crescent Color Co. will be held at the company's office, 728 S. Main St., ett. Louis, Mc., between the hours of 9 and 12 a. m., Jan. 2, 1892, for the purpose of electing a Bloard of Directors and transacting such other business as may property come helps: M. S. Miller, Secretary.

E. J. WALKER, Secretary.

ELECTION NOTICES. TLECTION NOTICE.—Office 8t, Louis & Garks Liville Facket Co., Dec. 20, 1891—The again meeting of the stockholders of this company for the alection of directors for the ensuing yar, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the company, Breadway and Mulianphy st., on Wester (say, Jan. 13, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., HERMAN SCHWARTZ, Secretary.

To ALL WHOM IT NAY CONCERN-S I hereby given that the co-partnership he existing between Heary Pietfer and Walter long business under the firm name of Pietfe at 2127 Franklin av., St. Louis, Mo., was a 11. 1801, dissolved by mutual consent. Platter will continue to carry on the most is at the same place in his own name and of account, and he has full authurity to collect chanding accounts.

SPECIAL MOTICES.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the C. FARNER STOVE, FUR-NITURE & CARPET CO. have delivered to my residence. 1018 North Ninth street, and turned over to my use and control, the \$100 BEDROOM SUIT recently displayed in their show windows and offered as a bift to the holder of PETER SCHEER. (SEAL.) the lucky number.

Signed in presence of HENRY D. HILL, (SEAL.) WADE HAMPTON. (SEAL.)

STATE OF MISSOURI, | ss. City of St. Louis. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of

> EDMUND J. PIPER, Notary Public.

NOTARY | SEAL.

December, 1891.

Note to the Public:

The drawing for this elegant Bedroom Suit took place in full view of a vast concourse of interested spectators and was carried on in as simple and fair a manner as possible. Mr. Scheer, the lucky winner, is a worthy young man, and I assure my many patrons as well as the public at large that nothing would give me more delight than to be able to cause Mr. Scheer's pleasure and supreme happiness to visit each and every one of them at their firesides. For truly Mr. Scheer's appreciation is heavend even anything that I had expected. appreciation is beyond even anything that I had expected.

I desire further in this public manner to thank the people of St. Louis for the cordial welcome they accorded my first grand opening at 1200 and 1202 Franklin av. It was indeed a spontaneous outburst that reached from city limits to limits and even burst from the confines of this great city into many of the

With New Year Greetings to all I remain, at your service,



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500 HEATING STOVES, for HARD and SOFT COAL, marked down to COST. If you want a BASE - BURNER or a Soft Coal Stove call Monday morning. Prices are away down. 1 1001-1003 and 1005 Franklin Ave. 30 Louis

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Full Lines for the Early Spring Trade in

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TOLD OF THE SALE.

Mr. Brookings Examined by the Polytechnic Investigating Committee.

HE TELLS HOW HE SECURED HIS HAND-SOME BARGAIN.

The Witness Poses as an Authority or Seventh Street Property, and Admits Having a Knowledge of the Wain wright Deal-How the Polytechnic Building Cost Him \$5,000 Extra.

The School Board Investigating Committee

BUSINESS HOUSES DESTROYED

incendiary origin wiped out the business portion of Plainfield Tuesday. The fire originated in Upton's restaurant. It des-

troyed the building of the Plainfield Enter-prise, Childen & Northrup, dry goods; Mc-Allister, hardware; Thomas Thompson, jewelry; Ernest Jacob's restaurant; N. S. Pratt, furniture; M. Rush, shoe shop; L. Mollinger, meat market, and Albert Worst, barber shop. Loss \$30,000; partly insured.

A BLOCK BURNED.

WILKESBARBE, Dec. 81 .- The Sax block

Pittston was partially destroyed by fire this morning. It was occupied by McDougall,

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Dec. 31 .- A fire at Jone

completely gutted that establishment. Mus

sen & Co.'s grocery stock, at No. 24, was seri-busly damaged. Losses about \$6,000.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 31 .- Fire Tuesday

in the hosiery mill of Samuel West in Ger

mantown caused a loss of \$10,000; partially insured. Dalzell's Hosiery Mill adjoining, was damaged \$10,000.

RAHWAY FIRE-SWEPT.

RAHWAY, N. J., Dec. 81.-The most disas

trous fire here in years has occurred. The

fire started at 152 Main street and burned to No. 170. The loss is \$60,000; partially in-sured.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 31.-Boley & Sons, furniture, the Savannah Steam Laundry and a dozen small buildings have been burned. The total loss is \$60,000.

Laving the Foundation for a Home.

This can only be accomplished by a deter-

Bank invites the small depositors to open an

deposits. Sums of \$1 and over received on

ON THE RIO GRANDE.

No Confirmation of Garza's Reported

Assassination.

at the War Department are watching the sit-uation on the Rio Grande with deep concern,

but are without news from Gen. Stanley this

Bourke's force may be very much outnumbered by the revolu-

tionists, but they feel confident that the officer will conduct

himself with all necessary prudence and that

said this morning that he had received noth

ng except from the newspapers about the

assassination of Gen. Garza and the flight of

credit the story, but army officers who are

equainted with the character of the Mexican

MASSING TROOPS.

CITY OF MEXICO, via Galveston, Dec. 31.-Gen. Escudero, Assistant Secretary of War, said last night that the report that

from interior garrisons to the frontier was true. This step was necessary, as the country where Garza is operating is sparsely settled and covered with brush and the border is too long to be covered by the few troops usually garrisoned at frontier points. In reference to the where abouts of Garza, Escudero said he was crossing and re-crossing the frontier, which made it an impossibility to capture him and his band with the present troops in the field, but with the soldiers that are now being moved to the frontier he expected that if Garza crossed into Mexico again he would be captured.

AS REPORTED AT MONTEREY.

MONTEREY, Mexico, Dec. 31.-The news of

the murder of Gen. Lorenzo Garcia, who had command of the Mexican troops on the Rio

Grande and of the desertion of several hundred of his men to Catarino Garza's rev-plutionists has been confirmed. They crossed

olutionists has been confirmed. They crossed into Texas at a point between Carrizo and Roma. The Governor of Nuevo Leon has been in telegrable communication with President Dias since the news was first received. More troops have been ordered to the scene of the trouble, making over \$,000 soldiers in all that are on the Rio Grande or are on the way there. Nearly every north-bound train on the Mexican National road the past week has carried Mexican troops. They are being distributed along the right bank of the Rio Grande and in a short time there will be a strong guard at every crossing on the riyer.

PLOCKING TO GARZA.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 31.-Parties in

from near the border report that the Mexicans working on the irrigating trenches in

many instances are leaving their employment, well armed, to join Catarino Garza's band of revolutionists.

CONSUL CAHILL INTERVIEWED. The Mexican Consul, John F. Cahill, said

that very little is known of Gen. Garcia, who is reported assassinated.

morning. They are apprehensive that Capt.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 32 .- The officials

on the sale of the Polytechnic buil evening with a very slim attendance. Several witnesses who were expected to testify failed to show up, as they were only willing to give their statements during an executive session. Mr. Brookings in the course of his testimony said that the building cost him \$5,000 more than the purchase price. He accounted for about half of this, but left the board uninformed as to where the other \$2,500 went. When seen this morning he said that he had really not been put to an outlay of but the interest on the he paid in to the board a dead loss to him and was a dead loss to him and he could easily have gotten 6 per cent for it jeweler; Ricketts, hat store; Britigan's cash, store and Schwab's photograph establishment. The two latter were completely burned out, The loss on building and stock will reach \$12,000, partially covered by insurance. he could easily have gotten a per cent for it which for two years would have amounted to \$2,400. The money paid out for insurance was given to the School Roard, whose policies he bought, as he was under contract to pay the board \$15,000 a year if the building should become unfit for occupancy during the time they had possession. He insured against this rent money.

they had possession. He instead against the rent money.

Mr. Brookings and Balliff Sexton were the only two witnesses examined last night. Mr. Brookings started in by declining to let Chairman Huttig examine him, and he instead on teiling what he was willing to teil in his own way. In substance his testimony was that rumor brought it to his ears that the Polytechnic Building was for sale. He had never heard that an offer or bid had been made for the property, but as he was interested in Seventh street property, being a member of the Samuel Cupples Real Estate Co., he had his eye fixed on that particular corner lot, and concluded to absorb it. He had made aminute examination of every foot of property on Seventh street, from Spruce to Washington avenue, and had become familiar with all the corner lots, having made them as special study. Hence when he looked with longing eye upon the Polytechnic building he determined to absorb it. He did not make an offer to the board for the property, because he did not want his name to be coupled with the barter, for fear that the moneyed men of the city, recognizing him as the authority on values of Seventh street property, might bid over him and cause him to raise his ante. He did not know President Miller but he made no mistake when he laid bare to him the plan for purchasing the building. Mr. Miller did not betray the confidence of this benfect stranger, but hugged the secret to his soul, and together they went down and looked at the property. The President admitted that the chief aim of the board was to get rid of the Polytechnic on any terms. These two gentlemen, one representing the city and the other himself, went carefully over the building with the object in view of ascertaining just how much it was worth. Mr. Brookings offering \$120,000 for the property on the condition that his name should not be whispered. Mr. Miller agreed to keep mum and said he would see a man about it. all he knew about it was that Mr. Miller put the thing through and he handed over a couple of

apparatus. The rest of the \$5,000 he did not account for in his testimony.

EXPECTED BIG PROFIT.

He objected to the charge that indecent haste had been used in rushing the measure through. He admitted that he had been offered \$175,000 for the property. He related how he did not even know that the sale resolution had passed, but chancing to meet President Miller a couple of days later he casually inquired what had become of his offer to buy the Polytechnic. Mr. Miller hapsoldiers on the frontier are more inclined to the Government was moving troops from interior garrisons to the

pected to make a good profit out of the Polytechnic.

Air. Brookings said that he had his architect make an inspection of the building and draw up plans looking toward converting the Polytechnic into an office building, but that he had bobbed about between so many ideas that at length he had concluded to just do nothing but let the magic of his name fatten the value. He admitted that he considered his bargain a fair one, but only a fair one and also admitted that he considered the walls good and the building safe. He did not relish the attempts of the members of the board to get out of a hole by pretending that they were afraid that the walls would tumble and the debris burn up. He also admitted that he was in on the Wainwright building deal and knew what he was doing when he bought the property opposite to the contemplated Wainwright building. But he declared that he would not have paid \$127,000 for the ground on which the Wainwright building is now being erected. He did admit that the presence of the new building enhances the value of the Polytechnic.

H. Clay Sexton consumed some little time in stating that he did not know anything. The next session of the committee on Monday night will be executive in character, so as to protect several persons who are willing to testify, but are timorous. The session will be held on Monday night next.

Via the Missouri Pacific Railway and Iron Mountain Route.

Tickets on sale at greatly reduced rates Dec. 81, 1891, and Jan. 1, 1892, to and from all points on the system, good to return until Jan. 4, 1892. City ticket offices, No. 102 North Fourth street, and Union Depot.

FIVE ACRES OF FIRE.

Total Destruction of the Standard Oil Co.'s Barrel-Works. works of the Standard Oil Co. at Constable Hook are burned down and the loss is esti-mated at from \$1,000,000 upward. The fire

Hook are burned down and the loss is estimated at 9:30 last night in the heading room of the barrel works. It was discovered by August Cohrs, the night watchman. He said it seemed to spring up in all directions. The entire Bayonne fire department, under charge of Chief Engineer Berry, quickly responded to the alarm sent in. There were four steemers and three hook and ladder companies on hand in a short time. The barrel factory was entirely destroyed.

The building was filled with barrels, both completed and unfinished, there being hundreds of thousands of them. There were also great stacks of cut lumber ready to be converted into barrels. It is estimated that

A Positive Luxury,
And yet how chesp. A grate fire of our No. 2
Pittsburg crushed coke; no smoke, no soot.
Beats wood or soft coal out of sight.

DEVOY & FRURESORN. verted into barrels. It is estimated that there were between one million and two million barrel heads in the building and from ten million to fifteen million barrel staves.

wide and three stories high.

When the fire department, police and the crowd reached the scene the structure seemed wrapped in fiames. A dozen streams were immediately directed upon it, but the contents burned like tinder, and the building went too. Over 500 men, including the police and firemen, were fighting the fiames, but they soon found out that they could not control them.

The building and provided the scene the structure ing & Publishing Company died late this afternoon at his late home, 1919 Pine street. The deceased had been sick only a short time, and his well as many regrets, as he was widely and popularly known in all parts of the city.

The building stood in an inclosure of about it acres. Great stacks of lumber were piled grocer's.

A Long feit want is Fairbank's Clair noted Laundry Soap. "Go for it"—at grocer's.

Be the Missing Banker.

WELL DRESSED, WEARING DIAMONDS, BUT OUT OF FUNDS.

est Seen Tramping Out of Elkton Over the Railway Ties Toward Baltimore-Story of the Peculations With a Description of the Fugitive President of

all about. These caught fire and burned flercely and soon there were five acras of flame lighting the surrounding country.

Next to the barrel factory were the chemical works and all efforts were directed toward saving them. After a long and hard fight, during which the firemen worked in constant peril of their lives, as a single spark falling among the chemicals would have been enough to have caused an explosion which would have blown them all into eternity, their efforts were successful and the chemical works were saved.

The machinery in the burned building was complete. There was a fine Corliss engine worth \$5,000 and forty-eight other machinery, some of them having been put in September last. This was very valuable, \$180,000 being hardly sufficient to pay for it.

It is difficult to get any of the officers of the company to place an estimate upon the loss. They say it will amount from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000. The company carries its own insurance. After 1 o'clock the greatest danger was over, and little by little the firemen began to conquer the fiames, until at a o'clock the fire was under control. ELETON, N. J., Dec. 81.-A fine-looking me of large frame, wearing a handsome black mustache and side whiskers, and dressed as if he were accustomed to move in good society, entered the bar-room of the Felton House here about 9 o'clock Tuesday night. Accost midnight, which he naturally supposed was the closing hour. He was informed that he was welcome to do so and took a seat by the fire. When closing time came he started out, remarking that he would have to tramp it again. Mr. Phillips offered him a room in the hotel without cost, which the stranger, after some persuasion, accepted. Before leaving he said he was Gideon W. Marsh, late President of the Keystone Bank of Philadelphia but asked Mr. Phillips not to say anything about it. He also said that he had a wife and two children, but had not called to see them in passing through the Quaker City. He had left his valise, with its contents, in New York to pay a hotel bill of \$25, reserving mother had presented him, acknowledging at the same time he had not read it. In his cravat was a handsome diamond pin, which he said was a gift, and under no circum stances would be pawn it. The man said in passing through Philadelphia he stopped to see John Wanamaker. The Postmasteridential clerk offered him all the money he wanted, which he refused. The man ald not act like one who had been drinking or was a crank, and answered very much the descrip-of Mr. Marsh. At 7:80 o'clock yesterday morning he started down the railroad track

The Keystone Bank failed on the 10th of last The Reystone Bank failed on the form of last February. Investigation of its affairs showed that its president, Gideon W. Marsh, was largely responsible for the wreck of the in-stitution, that he had faisified the bank's books to cover his peculations, which reached nearly a million dollars. Marsh fied n May 27.
Immediately following his disappearance

rom the office of the Mayor offered \$5,000 reward "for the arrest, detention, and delivery to the authorities of the city of Philadelphia of Gideon W. March," etc., etc., another offer of \$1,000 was made by W. H. Wanamaker for Marsh's arrest and detention. Here is his description: "He is about 45 years of age; weighs from 180 to 200 pounds; about 5 feet 10 inches in height; broad-shouldered; well built; has care-worn look; dark brown hair; blue eyes; dark brown mustache, brown face, fair skin, good teeth, has middle finger on right hand injured by being struck on end of finger with a base-ball bat, which leaves an inverted nail, forming a ridge of flesh at base of nail; can raise full whiskers and may let them grow. When last seen on May 27, 1891, he wore a brown derby hat, fint brim, brown or snuff-colored overcoat, plaid-check pantaloons, patent leather shoes, with over gatters, and carried a small alligator satchel and umbrella."

Since Marsh left Philadelphia the officers of the law have had not the slightest trace of his whereabouts. There was a rumor that he was in hiding in New Jersey, but this proved to be unfounded. Another story was to the effect that he had sailed for South America, but no confirmation of this statement has been made. It was the failure of the Keystone that caused the arrest, conviction and imprisonment of "Honest" John Bardsley, City Treasurer of Philadelphia, who had illegally deposited \$400,000 of public money in the bank, every penny of which ward "for the arrest, detention, and delivery to the authorities of the city of Philadelph

in the bank, every penny of which was lost to the people.

The shady transactions of Keystone officials tarnished the name of Postmaster-General Vanamaker, who was mixed up in the affairs f the bank in a compromising way.

ette Soap. For sale by first-class grocers.

WORST IN YEARS. Heavy Storms in Colorado Impeding Rail-

way Traffic. DENVER, Colo., Dec. 81.—The storm now prevailing in this section is by far the most olent of recent years for this season. Nearly ll of the railroads are experiencing considerable difficuly in the movement of their rains. The Santa Fe ditched two engines at trains. The Santa Fe ditched two engines at Palmer Lake yesterday in bucking snow. Traffic is delayed at Leadville, trains are behind time, and at some points there have been no mails since Saturday. Snow four feet deep has been encountered in the mountains, and a high wind is drifting it badly. Several men are known to have been frozen to death, and it is feared others have been lost. From present indications the storm will not abate for several days.

ON THE COAST. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.-Although the weather has cleared here, it is still raining many parts of the State. The rainfall dur ing this storm has been phenomenal. The wires are still down and no word has beer received from Eureka for nearly a week, not for two days from Point Reyas. In the Sier ras snow has been failing for two days and a blockade of the Central Pacific is feared. The south bound Oregon express on the Oregon extension is fifteen hours late.

AMERICAN PORK ABROAD.

French Regulations Governing Importa tions of Salt Meats.

NEW YORK, Dec. 81.-Le Courier des Etat his, in its Paris correspondence, dated Dec. 19, publishes the following important information in regard to the official regulations

mation in regard to the official regulations governing the importation of American salted meats into France:

"The law fixing the new customs duties on salted pork having been promulgated, the Government has just issued a decree abrogating the decrees of Feb. 18, 1881, and Dec. 18, 1882, by virtue of which the importation into France of salted pork from the United States of America was interdicted. In conformity with that decree these meats can be imported through the ports of Dunkirk. Havre, Bordeaux and Marsellies. Previous to the unloading of the merchandise importers shall produce for each consignment a certificate from the Inspectors of the Department of Agriculture, who was intrusted by the United States Government with the duty of watching over the establishment in which the mainals were killed and in which the meat was packed. That certificate must state that said meats came from wholesome animals, in perfect health, and are entirely fit for consumption. Boxes containing these meats shall bear the stamp of the official inspectors who have made the sanitary examination of these meats. Entrance to the territory of the Republic shall be denied to any consignment not meeting the conditions indicated "After being landed these meats shall be "After being landed these meats shall be "After being landed these meats shall be

SAYS HE IS MARSH,

penses of the inspection service shall be charged to the importers at the rate of a tax determined by a decree upon the application of the Minister of Agriculture in conformity with the advice of the consultative committee on epizocitics. The tax shall be paid at the office of the custom house receiver."

A Free Dispensary.

In establishing the Central Free Dispensary at 1823 Franklin avenue Dr. Etavard has furnished St. Louis with an institution such as our city has never enjoyed heretofore, and for which the citizens generally must feel grateful; it is a free dispensary in all that the word implies, no money being accepted from rich or poor, for either medical or surgical services, and only a very small price charged for medicines furnished, much less, are made by inexperienced drug cierks can possibly occur. Another feature of this establishment that recommends it most strongly to the people is the absolute privacy and the result is perfect and exuberance and the result is sweet, wholesome, nourwhich the patient enjoys while undergoing the doctor's private parlors during office and supplied with all appliances now in use in the lead-ing hospitals of the East; there are also private waiting rooms set apart for adies. This is the first institute of the kind that has ever been established in St. Louis; thousands of patients have been treated there since it opened, and the great success it has met with can only be attributed to skillful treatment, the small amount charged for medicines, and the strict privacy that is always maintained. Many persons who are suffering and are unable to pay their regular family physician, resort to patent medicines
"from which they get no relief,"
rather than go to a public dispensary
where, during treatment they will be exposed to a class of students and other spectadelight this institution, presided over as it is by one of the ablest physicians and surgeo in the country, whose advice and treatmen unobserved. No matter how poor the person who is suffering is, he need not fear to call as the price of medicine is so trifling, it is to accommodate those who are em ployed during the day, the dispensary will be kept open until 9 o'clock p. m. and on Sundays from 9 o'clock a. m., to o'clock p. m. For convenience sake as well as other special reasons, the clinical hours have been divided and arranged as follows; From 9 to 10 a. m., diseases of women and children; from 10 to 11, diseases of nervous system, and diseases of chest and throat from 11 to 12 m., surgical diseases; from 2 to . m., diseases of the eye and ear: from 3 to diseases; 4 o'clock p. m., deformities, and diseases of the joints; from 7 to 9 p. m. Genito-Urinary and blood diseases; thus it ranged by a master mind in his profession so as to meet the requirements of all classes, and give general satisfaction. The recommendations of thousands of patients who are being treated at this free dispensary, is the

ustly popular institution could possibly VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA-The Standard of the

Mr. Crisp's Condition. NEW YORK, Dec. 31.-The Sun's Washington ispatch says that when Congress meets on Tuesday next the House will be presided over by a speaker pro ten owing to the continued illness Speaker Crisp, who is still confined to his bed and unable to see any one except his wife and the nurse. The Speaker's physician does not regard his condition as serious, al-though there are slight signs of pneumonia that cause some alarm.

Lecal—Spots show for the first time this week some activity; the sales were 3, 118 bales.

New Orleans—Spots steady, Futures very steady; an improvement of 162 points was the only change up to 12:30 p. m.

New York—Spots quiet and 1-164 higher. Futures opened 162 points lower, became firmer and advanced to the propers of 162 points lower, became firmer and advanced to the propers of 162 points lower, became firmer and advanced to the propers of 162 points lower.

Week later last vear.

RECEUTS TO-DAY AT LEADING RECEIVING CENTERS.

GALVESTON—Recaipts, 4.655, ateady at 7 kgc.

MORILE—Receipts, 3.21; firm at 6 15-16c.

CHARLESTON—Receipts, 2.355; ateady at 6 15-16c.

CHARLESTON—Receipts, 2.738; firm at 7 1-16c.

NORFOLK—Receipts, 2.738; firm at 7 1-16c.

BALTIMORE—Receipts, 7, 4001 dull at 7 kgc.

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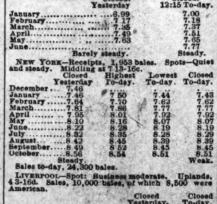
BOSTON—Receipts, 848; quiet at 7 kgc.

PHILADELPHIA—Receipts, —; dull at 8 kgc.

MEMPHIR—Receipts, 2.931; firm at 7 1-16c.

AUGUSTA—Receipts, 385; quiet at 7c.

NEW ORLEANS—Receipts, 10, 510 hales Standard



CHEAPER THAN ANTHRACITE

TO BEER DRINKERS.

THE NECESSITY OF INQUIRING INTO THE VIRTUE OF YOUR DRINK.

orn Beer Is to Barley Malt Beer What Corn Bread Is to Fine Wheat Bread— The Beer Consumer's Rights.

Corn is a much cheaper article than barley drug store; and then it is prepared by the the first you can eat a little, never much, and doctor himself, so that no mistakes such as it is not always certain to assimilate. The lat-

can drink but little without a protest from the stomach, and the effect is loss of energy, weariness, stupidity and drowsiness. The barley malt beer, however, is a sparkling, spunky, healthy, quickly assimilating drink. with a body and a character smacking and vigorous. Its effect is buoyant, refreshing lowed only by that stimulation of body and mind that is the very purpose and cause of

beer-drinking.

If beer consumers would think for a moment of the relative merits of the various beers they would quickly put a stop to the practice now becoming general of brewing beer from corn and corn preparations by giving their patronage only to the beer brewed of barley mait and choice hops. Unless this is done the deterioriation of American beer is inevitable, and as everyone is anxious that the high brands as the Budweiser, Faust, Anheuser and rd beers should be maintained, they should see to it that only these are encour

Personal Notes and General News From

PARMINGTON, Mo., Dec, 31.-Intelligence has just een received of a painful accident which occurred few miles north of this place last Monday afternoon walking behind William with a gun under his arm, the muzzle depressed and polating forward, when by some unknown means the weapon was discharged, and the entire charge of shot was lodged in William's heel and foot, carrying with it a portion of the shoe. The tendon Achille was seveed and the nummoned and the wounded youth is doing as well as could be expected. The boys are about 16 years old.

PACTS PROM WELLSVILLE. WRILSVILLE, Mo., Dec. 31.—A double wedding was celebrated a few days since at the home of the brides' parents, at Americus, a few miles south of this place, Miss Louisa M. Monnig and Mr. Samuel R. Miller, and Miss Ida C. Monnig and Mr. Geo. H. Miller, The brides were sisters and the gentlemen will hold an inquest.

Miss Fannie Hammett and Mr. Frind Wells of Price's Branch were married Dec. 24, at noon.
Mrs. Mamie Day Wigginton died at her home in Linneus, Mo., Dec. 21. Her remains were brought to this place for interment. She was the only child of Capt. James A. Day of this place, and wife of Hickman J. Wiggington, editor of the Linneus Builetin. s Amelia Huhae and Tonie Schors are home Misses Amelia Hunae and Tonie Schors are nome or the holidays.

Miss Lucy Paxton returned from Kansas City to pend Christmas.

Miss Sallie Shackelford has returned to her home n St. Louis.

Note: Mudd and Johnson have reopened the Walash Rotel.

Le grippe is epidemic in this vicinity and, while lery severe in a majority of cases, has not peen fatai.
The announcement of the death from grip, complicated with pneumonia, of Mrs. Nannie Gott of New Florence, this county, the daughter of Mrs. A. P., McClure, who died from the same disease on last saturday.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Dec. 31 .- Each of the Sunday near Blodgett yesterday and was brought here for burial. For twelve years he was judge of this (Tenth)

Miss Laura Igel of St. Louis is visiting Mrs. Wm. Bader.
Prof. A. B. Sloan of Vichey, Mo., is spending the holidays here with his mother, Mrs. G. W. Train.
Miss Annie Greene of De Soto is enjoying the holidays here.

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ST. CHARLES PERSONALS.

ST. CHARLES, Ma., Dec. 31.—The Misses Martin gave a 5 o'clock tea Friday to their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Powell, who have been visting Mrs. Powell here, returned home Sunday

Philadelphia.

Mrs William Gross and children of St. Louis visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Goebel, on South Sixth terian Church. left last week to resident the for Lafayette, Morrilton, Ark.
Mr. William Cleary left Friday night for Lafayette,
Ind., to visit relatives for several weeks,
Mr. S. R. Cresap is entertaining Mr. Charles Harria

uties. You can buy them at half price,

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 31.—The American Radiator Co. has been organized with a cap-ital stock of \$3,500,000. It includes the Detroit

Read the guarantee of the SURDAY POST DIS-ATCH to its Want advertisers in another

Children Cry

Dr. Enno Sander's Garrod Spa is highly prized by physicians as the most rational remedy for gout, rheumatism and gravel.

The Turners will give their annual mask ball Jan. Coi George Hesselmeyer of Knoxville, Tenn., is the guest of Prof. Bernard Feepping. Brilliant Lodge, No. 55, Knights of Pythias, will give its annual ball this evening at Turner Hall.

Miss Irma Brimmer, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. George G Brimmer, died Monday after thrief illness at her home, 6900 Michigan avecure The interment will take place to-morrow afternoon at 20 clock.

In Justice Christ Nosper's Court in Luxemburg the case against Charles Raushenright, who was charged with seducing Ella Thomas, was discharged on ac-count of the defendant being a minor. The young girl it is said is a mother, and the boy Raushenright was alleged to be the father of the baby. Carondelet has a new post-office located at 6917½ South Broadway. The new quarters are small compared to those vacated. It is the general belief here that Maj. Harlow will adopt his new scheme of branch offices, making Carondelet his first test. A gentleman who is connected with the St. Louis Post-office said that the Carondelet office would not be in use three months until it is vacated and done away with entirely. Drug stores will be utilized as post-offices and in Carondelet, instead of having one mein office, there will be three sub-stations.

The public have been feeled so often with advertisements we don't wonder they hesinewspapers. They can rely on this fact, owever, that T. B. Boyd & Co. are sellin rich and elegant 50c scarfs for half price—25c Nothing like them ever seen in St. Louis Six hundred dozen from the manufacturer at a heavy loss are the attraction.

North St. Louis. The Ladies' Aid Society of the Hyde Park Congregational Church will have its annual business meeting and election of officers next Thursday night.

The Dramatic Club of St. Engelbert's parish wil have an entertainment at North St. Louis Turner Hall, Twentieth and Salisbury streets, Sunday night, Jan. 10.

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The Apolio Singing Society, composed of well-known Germans, will celebrate its anniversary next Saturday night at the North St. Louis Turner Hail, Twentieth and Salisbury streets. The hall will be handsomely decorated and illuminated with calcium lights. An excellent supper will be spread at midnight.

the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH want columns

Deaths. The following burial certificates were issued by the lealth Department to-day: Heinrich Hanck, 21 yrs, 1942 Warren st.; typhoid

John Roeder, 72 yrs, 2519 N. 10th st; asthma. Edna C. La Barge, 3 yrs, 3717 Maffitt av.; diphheria Anthony Rowland, 18 yrs, 1427 N. Sth st.. fracture of skull. Christ H. Schmidt, 45 yrs, Good Samarstan Hospidiabetes. hn J Darsney, 1 yr, 2814 Howard st., pneu Joseph McDonald, 2 yrs., 2722 Howard st.; con John McDonald, 1 vr., 2722 Howard st.: diph-George Spoore, 9 yrs., Good Samaritan Hospital fever.
John Strodtman, 61 yrs., 1922 S. 12th st.; senile
debility.
Catherine Kriedler, 55 yrs., 2836 Arsenal st.;
heardle pasumonia. Charles Rose, 69 yrs., 1415 Market st.; pneu-

Margaret Bernrenter, 71 yrs., 4275 Natural Bridge Inantition.

Geo. Meyer, 2 yrs., 2234 Keakna st.; bronchitis,
Kdward C. Brown, 32 yrs., St. John's Hospital;
Gun shot wound in the body.
August Koch, 56 yrs., 1809 Warren st.; pneumonia.
Gustave Normann, 20 yrs., 1529 Destrehan st.;
consumption.

PURE 18-KT. GOLD WEDDING RINGS. MERMOD & JACCARD JEWELRY CO. COR. BROADWAY AND LOCUST ST.

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Francis H. Buggscott...... New Bedford, Mo Tillie Van Luvane...... Doviston, Pa Joseph R. Mann.... Elizabeth Bimrick. 2024 Wash st .2624 Lafavette av .2817 Neoraska av Henry W. Fath... .1202 S. Broadway5304 Virginia av Charles W. Speirs. May F. Barsaloux 1333 Washington av William Spannagle Mollie S. Horn.... 416 Dorcas s 2637 Rutger at4404 Clayton av St. Charles, Me



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A WOMAN BEST UNDERSTANDS A WOMAN'S ILLS. The experiments of Lydia E. Pinkham that years ago gave to the world that blessing, the Vegetable Compound, were made through a feeling of sympathy for the afflicted of her sex. She discovered that nearly all the diseases of woman have a common origin, and therefore may have a common cure. That cure is known in all parts of the civilized world, and an average of 100 letters per day are received from grateful women.

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is sold by all Druggists as a standard ar-ticle, or sent by mail, in form of Pills or Lozenges, on receipt of \$1.00.

Send two 2-cent stamps for Mrs. Pinkham's beautiful 88-page illustrated book, entitled "GUIDE TO HEALTH AND ETIQUETTE." It contains a volume of valuable information. It has saved lives, and may save yours.

Grief Suing for Damages.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Thomas Grief has finally carried out his threat by suing Capt. John E. ahoney and Inspector Lyman H. Lewis in the Circuit Court yesterday for \$25,000 dam ages in an action for trespass. Mr. Salomor appears as the attorney for Grief. The suits based on the raid the police made or Grief's Hall on Lake street in searching for Anarchists."



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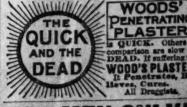
Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts a gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, head aches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its. many excellent qualities commend its to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c, and \$1 bottles by all leading drug of gists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will pro-cure it promptly for any one whom wishes to try it. Do not accept any

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Lard—Jan., 6.071; May, 6.40c.
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ar Cash Market Price-11:80 Call

Market very quiet but firmer; the only sales reported were 2 cars 25 day e'ribe, 50 the and ander average, at 5.10c, c. and f. Green c'ribe offered at 5c, and full green at 5.27the, c. and f. On THE CALL—Dry sait c'ribe—Jan. offered at 5.30c, bid 5.10c. Ray offered at 5.00c, bid 5.55c.

Pork—Standard mess jobbing at 38.75 for old and \$10.75 for new.

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Lard—Prime steam, 5.75c this side, and 5.65c.

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Lead and Spelter. Lead-Nominally worth 4c, below which none ould be bought. Spelter-Dull at 4.40c.

ON THE STREET. The Post-Dispatch quotations are for lots in firs

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[Flaxseed and castor beans are sold subject to in-pection and inspector's weight.

Feathers—The offerings meet with ready sale at firm rates.

Prime live green—In large sacks at 42c; in small sacks at 43c; cullly, damp and unrine, 25e-25e; prime gray, 37c. Old XXX, 18@20c; XX, 27@25e; X, 35@37c; duck, dark, 25c; white, 25c; chicken dry picaed, 4c; turkey, body, 2c; wing, 20c; tail, 25c; wing and tail, mixed, 25c; peinters, 4c; tare, 3@10 per cent.

Sheep Peits—Unchanged. Green—Large full-wooled, \$1.00@1.10; medium-sized or fairly-wooled, sl. 65 per bex. For selected and rehandled stock we quote:

Mexican, per box. \$2 5562 75
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Lemons—Supply not large; demand fair.

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The Merchants' National Bank

412 Olive Street.

Capital, \$700,000.00. Surplus, \$150,000.00

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Union Depot and Mound City Street Railway Co.'s 6 per cent 10-20 year Gold Bonds.

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Nineteenth/and Locust Streets, NOW .: OPEN.

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Dr. E. C. Chase, Corner of 9th and Olive streets. Set of teeth, \$8. PRIVATE matters skillfully treated and medi-tines furnished. Dr. Dinsbeer 814 Pine st.

GROCERS' BANQUET.

The Seventh Annual Spread Last Night at

The seventh annual banquet of the Associated Wholesale Grocers was held last night at the Mercantile Club. The affair last evenciated Wholesale Grocers was field last night at the Mercantile Club. The affair last evening was complimentary to the St. Louis Traffic Commission. Over a hundred guests sat down to one of the most elaborate spreads ever set in this city. The affair was in the hands of Mr. Wm. J. Kinsella, assisted by Mr. J. E. Trask and the members of the Arrangement Committee. Everything was arranged systematically, the guests being geated by card and diagram, and the excellent order contributed to the smoothness and success of the event. The menu and programme was on heavy cardboard, bound in book form, the covers' being of delicately tinted silk. After the menu had been discussed from blue-point to cognac President W. E. Schweppe delivered the next toast as "The St. Louis Traffic Commission," introducing the president of that body, Mr. L. B. Tebbetts, to respond. He spoke in a practical and interesting manner of the question of rates and the use and necessity of the Traffic Association to a business center like St. Louis.

He was followed by Hon. A. T. Walker of Chicago, who discoursed interestingly on "The Interstate Commerce Law." Mr. R. F. Walker then treated the question of "State Regulation in Traffic" in an exhaustive manner. Mr. E. G. Scudder made a brief but humorous response to "Individual Traffic." after which a number of informal addresses were delivered by ex-Congressman Stone, Messrs. Howard Elliet, L. C. Birge, Davis and Gov. Francis.

Cape Overcoats, Kersey and Melton

And winter suits in good variety in ou clothing department. All those who have not yet bought their winter clothing are invited to come into our clothing department and see what we are selling MILLS & AVERILL,

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Visitation Convent New Chapel. The meeting at the old Visitation Conven on Cass avenue of the alumni held yester-day in the Philosophy Hall, for the purpose of proving their interest in their alma mater,

of proving their interest in their alma mater, by furnishing and embellishing the new chapel in Cabanne place, was very largely attended. Mr. Lindsay, the President, called the meeting to order, and after explaining the aims of the association, requested Mrs. Rose Fanning to address the meeting in behalf of the undertaking.

Mrs. Fanning spoke of the motives of gratitude which prompted every member that was present. She said that it was the proper thing for them to adorn and furnish the new chapel for the greater honor and glory of God, and to show the kindly remembrance they entertained for the old teachers and new members. The treasurer reported the names of those who had already donated, and the sum collected quite enthused those present. After the business was over the ladies of the Visitation invited their guests to a social repast, where the old days and incidents of their school days were

WABASH NEW YEAR RATES.

Prominent Points to Which the Banner Route Will Make Reduced Fare.

On Dec. 21, 1891, and Jan. 1, 1892, the Wabash Railroad will sell round-trip tickets at greatly reduced rates from St. Louis to the following points:

Chicago, Detroit, Toledo, Toronto, Buffalo and intermediate stations; Kansas City, St. Joseph, Chillicothe, Kirksville and intermediate stations; Kansas City, St. Joseph, Chillicothe, Kirksville and intermediate stations.

Tickets good returning up to and including Jan. 4, 1892.

For tickets, sleeping-car berths, etc., apply at the Wabash ticket office, St. Louis, southeast corner of Broadway and Olive streets, and Union Depot.

Only a Small Difference.

Mr. E.[E. Clark, Grand Chief Conductor, who is here to confer with Mr. S. H. H. Clark of the Missouri Pacific, on matters concerning the agreement made last spring, was seen to day and said: "The business I am here on involves the interests of perhaps a dozen men and is but of secondary importance. You might say that my business is a mere formality. I shall see Mr. Clark this afternoon and we will settle matters in a very few minutes."

Gentlemen's Fine Shoes.

The question is about extra compensation for extra work to conductors on branch roads.

Gentlemen's Fine Shoes.

The new shoe store of the Lindell Shoe Co., on the northwest corner of Washington avenue and Sixth street, has jumped into popularity with one bound, Gentlemen's fine shoes have been made a specialty there and the properietors seem to know just what is

shoes have been made a specialty there and the proprietors seem to know just what is wanted in that line, as nearly everybody is talking about those shoes at Harkness & Menkens' store under the Lindell Hotel. Mr. 5. S. Harkness was fourteen years in the shoe department at Barr's, and he understands his business thoroughly. Mr. Edw. T. Menkens is also something of an expert in the shoe line, although he was never regularly in the business until the present store at 601 Washington avenue was established. Mr. Menkens was in the St. Louis Post-office for thirteen years, being connected with the registry department. Messrs. Harkness & Menkens will be pleased to wait on their friends in their new business at 601 Washington avenue.

Shortage in Gold Pieces

The United States Sub-Treasury ran short on two dollar and a half gold pieces a day or two before Christmas. The shortage was explained by one of the clerks as due to the plained by one of the clerks as due to the fact that many, who were unable or too indifferent to select Christmas gifts, exchanged their greenbacks for gold pieces and gave them out as presents. A very large number were drawn out of circulation in this way, but the recipients are spending their presents and the coins are again in circulation.

Call on P. C. Murphy, Third and St. Charles streets, where you will find a full and elegant assortment of trunks, bags, valies, dress suit cases, collar and cuff boxes, toilet articles, dressing cases, etc. I make a specialty of fine fitted bags and satchels containing dressing and toilet articles, and will astonish you with fine goods and low prices there will favor me with a call.

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P. C. MURPHY,
Third and St. Charles streets

A Town in Ashes. New ORLEANS, Ia., Dec. 81.—The business portion of the town of Farmerville, Ia., portion of the town or range. burned last night. Loss \$50,000. Insurance,

THE AUSTRALIAN'S MONEYED MAN WILL NOT PUT UP THE STAKES.

Slavin Declares He Will Find a New Eacker and Break Off His Contest With Jackson-Johnny Van Heest and Geo. Dixon Matched-Base Ball, Turf and Other Sports.

NEW YORK, Dec. 81 .- A small pink enve ope handed to Frank P. Slavin in the cafe of the Clarendon Hotel, Brooklyn, shortly before 10 o'clock last night contained a me sage which may alter the plans of som

cannot back me. I shall not be brokenhearted over it however, for I am sure I can

in a very few hours."
"It beats me to think that Piess would send a message like this," Slavin went on to say.
"He may have been reading to the effect that 'He may have been reading to the effect that
I would not get fair play in America, but
even so, he should understand that I would
not make a match with Sullivan if I was not
sure of fair play. I am not in the least afraid
of anything on that score myself. After his
positive assurance that he would back me, I
am thunderstruck at this thing.''
Eleking by the message he read it over

cause I have any ill will toward him, but for the reason that there would be money for me if I could defeat him. I don't say that I can beat him, but I will try my best. It is all in the spirit of the sport. If nobody cared to fight Sullivan he would be idle all the time. fight Sullivan he would be idle all the time. Now that a change in my plans has unexpectedly come about. I propose to make some changes in the plans of some of their men. George Piess is the largest stockholder in the club where I am matched to fight Jackson. It was solely on his account that I agreed to fight the black fellow there.

'I felt that such a match would benefit him, and was very willing to sign articles. He has done me many favors, and I was only too happy to reciprocate. I cannot account for his action in this matter, but if he does not care to back me in America I shall get along very nicely without him. To-morrow

THE MAHER-DEMPSET BOUT OFF. ring contest between Peter Maher, the Irish champion, and Jack Dempsey at the Madison

DIXON AND VAN HEEST MATCHED.

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find the stakes for a battle with Sullivan In-side of forty-eight hours."
"I will guarantee that," exclaimed Mitchell.
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am thunderstruck at this thing."

Picking up the message he read it over very carefully for the third time.

"I don't know what he will have to say in his letter." he resumed, "and I don't care a rap. George Piess is not the only man in the world by a long chalk, and I can assure you that I shall not leave this country simply because he does not choose to find the money for me to fight Sullivan here. I want to fight Sullivan here. I want to fight Sullivan hores are supported by the reason that there would be money for me

New York, Dec. 31 .- There will be no sparchampion, and Jack Dempsey at the Madison Square Garden or eisewhere on Jan. 14. Gus Tuthill, Dempsey's backer, and Billy Madden, the Irishman's manager, had a talk yesterday and decided that as they could not given show that would be satisfactory to the people who would give up \$1 or \$2, they would call the thing off altogether.

Supt. Murray's order in regard to "knocking out" matches has broken up another good show that Billy Madden had on band. Madden was so confident that Maher would beat Dempsey, that he had made an agreement with Parson Davies for a match between the Irish champion and Peter Jackson for four rounds on Jan. 28. Whether the Corbett-Mitchell bout, which is down for Feb. 11, is to be abandoned is not yet settled. Madden said yesterday that he hoped Corbett would fight Maher for the \$,000 purse offered by the Olympic Club of New Orleans. "Mitchell will not fight, I think," said Madden, "so why can they not take on Maher? I'll promise them that Peter will give them a fight for their money and Corbett can get bets aggregating \$5,000 on the outside. I will agree to have the winner take all the purse. Is thatenough?"

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—"Johnny" Van Heest was matched yesterday to fight Geo. Dixon, the colored wonder, for \$2,500 a side. Forriets have been posted and the contest will come off in a few weeks, both men to weigh Its pounds.

Van Heest gave quite a noteworthy exhibition of his powers at West Twelrith street Turner hall last night, when he stopped Geo. Jeroux and Joe Roulo in two rounds each, knocking Jeroux completely silly and pounding Roulo so nard that he was glad to cry "enough" before the second round was ended.

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sage which may alter the plans of some notable pugilists. It was dated at Monte Carlo and read:

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combination, had a conference with Brooklyn Jimmy Carroll yesterday in regard to a contest between the latter and Ted Pritchard, who evidently is afraid that Bob Fitzimmons is going over to force him to fight. Carroll told Gallagher that he would go over and tackle Pritchard for \$5,000 aside and the highest purse that can be secured.

shades in complete run of styles.

As was expected the Board of Control have taken up the cases of J. J. Burke, who presides as judge at the Guttenburg course, and J. F. Caldwell, who officiates as starter, and have passed a stringent resolution ordering both to sever their connection with the course on and after Jan. 1, when the officer prohibiting all owners, jockeys and horses that intend to run on the regulation tracks during the coming season from taking part in the Guttenburg meeeting, will also go into effect. Burke announces that he will not condescend to notice the resolution. His reason for ignoring it is easily explained, He never officiated at one of the big Eastern meetings, contining himself to Guttenburg in winter while in the summer he comes West and usually presides at Nashville, Washington Park, Chicago and one or two other places. These tracks are not under the Board of Control's jurisdiction and his interest is not really affected by the order. Caldwell refused to go on record as to what his intentions were when seen yesterday. It is expected that he will announce himself to-day. The prevailing impression is, that he will obey the order. Whatever he does he will lose something. He not only officiates at Guttenburg, but at all the big Eastern courses as well, so that he will either lose bis employment in winter or his employment in summer. Besides it is claimed he is under contract to the Guttenburg management and that, should he decide to quit them, they will attempt to force him through the courts to fulful the contract which it is alleged he signed last fall, and which calls for his services up to next April. No doubt Mr. Caldwell would like to be forced to continue to draw 100 a day at that track and escape the Board of Control order. Should he refuse to obey the order, however, of his own volition, the board will no doubt expel him from the tracks over which they have jurisdiction. THE TURF. As was expected the Board of Control have

AT GUTTENBURG. The Guttenburg races yesterday resulted

as follows: as follows:

First race, one mile—Longstride, first; Adalgisa coll, second; Rover, third. Time, 1:53%.

Second race, four and one-half furiongs—Highwayman IL, first; Ross G. colt, second; Fanny Hubbard colt, third. Time, 1:00%.

Third race, fire furiongs—Buth, first; Censor, second; Rousance, third. Time, 1:05%.

Fourth race, one mile—Granuate. first; Count Luna, second; Baylor, third. Time, 1:52%.

Fifth race, five and one-half furiongs—Rancocas, first; G. W. Cook, second; Sallsbury, third. Time, 1:13. first; G. W. Cook, second; Salisbury, third. Time, 1:13. Sixth race, seven furlongs—Justice, first; John Hickey, second; Florimor, third. Time, 1:37. SOUTH SIDE PARK RESULTS.

The races at South Side Park yesterday resulted as follows:

First race, selling, six furlongs—Jublice, first; St.
Leo.second; George K., third. Time, 1:19.
Second race, purse, four and one-half furlongs—
Puente, first; King Richard, second; Mayor Nolan,
third. Time, 59.
Third race, purse, five furlongs—Augeree, first;
Promise, second; Sinbad, third. Time, 1:07.
Fourth race, purse, five furlongs—Vederte, first;
Belle M., second; Harry Weaver, third. Time,
1:05.
Fifth race, seeling, four and one-half furlongs—
Emma Lake, first; Lady Ali, second; Nellie D.,
third. Time, :5842. sulted as follows:

BASE BALL.

CRICAGO, Dec. 31.—A local paper says: The story telegraphed from Philadelphia regarding the formation of a new base ball league to fill the gap caused by the amaigamation of the American Association and the National League is considered very filmsy by gentlemen who are now under the wing of the new twelve-club organization. Other people said to be on the inside say it is significant and declare there will be a strong eight-club league competing with the new twelve-club organization. George Williams, credited in the dispatch as being one of the most enthusiastic men in the new scheme, said when approached: "I piayed one short and picturesque engagement as a base ball magnate and that is enough for me. However, I think there is a movement under way to form a league consisting of the stronger base ball towns in the country. But I will not be mixed up in any more base ball matters. The consolidation of the league and association was a move that invited competition and inside of two years base ball will be in the same rut that it emerged from lately at Indianapolis. Moneyed men all over the country interested in the game are willing to stake good clubs. I will wager that I can get subscriptions for \$30,000 stock for a ball club in Chicago to fight the new consolidation inside of the next twenty-four hours."

President Hart of the Chicago club said: "There is no danger of another league coming into the field. The parties that were interested in the American Association and were bought out. Could not engage in the business if they wanted to, as they agreed to leave base ball alone for five years when they were bought out. There is a discrepancy in the stories told by Messrs. Hart and Williams. The former states that when the local team was bought out, the good will went with the bargain. Mr. Williams says there was no such condition in the transaction, and he is free to have a team play in Chicago if he sees fit. It is not probable that Mr. Williams will exercise his option, but it would not be surprising if some of h CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—A local paper says: The story telegraphed from Philadelphia regard-

BASE BALL GOSSIP.

Hardie and Danny Richardson will both be found with Washington next year, at least N. E. Young says so, and he ought to know.

James A. Hart, President of the Chicago Leagus team, says that Fred Pfeffer will wear a "Windy City uniform" next season to a dead certainty.

An Eastern League that will have teams in Syracuse, Rochester, Toronto, Columbus, Toledo and Derroit is now said in a New York dispatch to be an assured fact. Another organization, which will include Albany, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Harrisburg and Lebanon, will also be in the field. BASE BALL GOSSIP.

THE ST. LOUIS TEAM. President Von der ahe is quoted as follows by a correspondent of the Cincinnati En-quirer; "Stricker will be found with the Chicago Club next season. He is a good man and no club will regret having secured his services. We will have Fred Pfeffer at second."

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backstop and if the St. Louis Club is strong in the pitcher's box nobody but Chris has got onto the fact yet. It is also woefdily weak in the outfield. The infield is fair, but not remarkably strong and at every other point the team is weak. What is more the players named by President Von der Ahe are all he has been awarded. He has even Stricker, but hopes to trade him for Pfeffer. He will probably have to give a bonus to do this. In short, instead of St. Louis retaining its old team and being strengthened by four or five additional players from the ranks of the five clubs which were retired, as it was justly entitled to do, it has lost all of its good men and been given in return a club no stronger, if as good, as last season's team. Last year's team was no club to compete with the strengthened teams of the new league. There was no weakening of Boston and other League clubs, but on the other hand they were given additional men despite the fact that they are already very strong. And yet Chris says he was not given the dinky dink.

TO-MORBOW'S POOT-BALL GAME.

TO-MORROW'S FOOT-BALL GAME. The Blue Bells, champions of the Mound City League, will meet Paul McSweeney's ploked foot-ball eleven at Sportsman's Park to-merrow, New Year's afternoon. The game will be played under Association rules, and promises to be interestingly contested. and promises to be interestingly contested.

As Capt. McSweeney is regarded as one of
the best all-round foot-ball players in St.
Louis, he will no doubt gather around him a
team capable of keeping the Biue Bells on
the go from start to fihish. The latter eleven
is looked upon as the strongest local exponents as a team of the Association game, and
they will practically play the pick of all the
other Association players in St. Louis in tomorrow's game. The kick-off will take place
at 8 o'clock.

REASON? BEECHAM'S PILLS act like magic.

A Boy Run Over.

At 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, while Robert Stinde was playing foot ball with several other boys at Lefingwell avenue and Walnut street, he was knocked down and run over by a horse and buggy. He received

several cuts about the head and was otherwise badly bruised about the body. He was taken to his home, 2740 Walnut street, where his injuries were dressed by Dr. Murray, who pronounced them serious, but not necessarily itatal. After the driver of the buggy saw what he had done, he whipped up his horse and escaped.

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Shot While Hunting.

Edward Beize, the 13-year-old son of Henry Beize, living at 2316 McNair avenue, visited Belze, living at 2816 McNair avenue, visited his friends at Fenton, Mo., last Tuesday, and while there he went out hunting with a boy his own age named Wilkins. Eddie very foolishly pulled his shot gun through a fence, and as usual under such circumstances the gun went off. The charge of bird-shot struck Eddie in the left side, but in such a way that the charge did not strike direct or enter his body. He was hastily carried to the city, and Dr. Mudd spent a few hours with him picking out stray shot. The wound is not considered serious.

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Men's Cloth Caps, with bands,

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